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GENERAL NOTICES.

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The Members of the HUMBOLDT PARK RESIDENCE ASSOCIATION are hereby invited to a General Meeting of the Shareholders on THURSDAY, May 8, at 8 p. m., in their office in Greenebaum's Building, No. 78 Fifth-av., Room 6. The presence of every member is solicited. CHARLES FROEBSTING, Secretary.

NOTICE.

All subscribers to and parties interested in the FEMALE SEMINARY at

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LOUISIANA.

Troubled State of Affairs at Iberia and St. Martinsville.

A Sharp Engagement at the Latter Place Yesterday.

Steamboatmen Refuse to Carry United States Troops.

The McEnery Men Armed and Arming in Many Parts of the State.

Attempted Assassination of Kellogg in New Orleans.

A Pistol Shot Fired Through His Carriage, Grazing His Head.

NEW IBERIA, La., May 7—11 a.m.—Firing was heard this morning.

A courier from the citizens' camp reports three Metropolitans killed and four wounded, within two squares of the Court-House, where Col. Badger has concentrated his forces. Citizens are collecting from every portion of Attakappas. Most of the recruits are of the better class and well mounted, and generally armed with breech-loading shot-guns. So far the young men, principally, have gone to the field. Married men in the towns are watching the negro organizers, and are preparing to frustrate them. Captains of steamboats have been warned not to transport Metropolitans, and consequently did not bring those at the bay, knowing that their boats would be blown up. The entire Bayou Teche is under surveillance by well-organized bodies of citizens. The Kellogg troops can only reach St. Martinsville by fighting their way up the bay. It is generally supposed that an engagement took place last night, but no reports have been received up to the present hour.

BRASHEAR CITY, La., May 7.—Eight Metropolitans arrived this morning, making forty-eight altogether. The citizens refused them all shelter, and they are stopping in a small negro cabin filled with negroes. They have orders to go to St. Martinsville, but can get no transportation. The ferry flat-boat here has been removed. The Teche boats stopped near Franklin, and are guarded by citizens.

Citizens here are still determined. All is quiet. One Metropolitan, just arrived here from St. Martinsville, who came through the swamp, has verbal dispatches for New Orleans. He says Badger is hemmed in. He heard heavy cannonading at 2 o'clock this morning.

A grand turnout will take place of the Masons, firemen, and religious societies, for the purpose of laying the corner-stone of the new Court-House at this place, to-day. The crowd will be large.

The Grand Jury have passed resolutions to have Kellogg and his officers appear before them, on the charge of usurping the government of Louisiana. Judge Abell ordered the report filed, and subpœnas are to be issued for the parties to appear before the Grand Jury. The Grand Jury also report against the Metropolitan Police.

NEW ORLEANS, May 7.—Forty-one horses and thirty men, Kelloggites, with arms and accoutrements, left at 7 p. m. by Morgan's Texas Railroad for the Teche country.

The excitement prevailing throughout the city was increased this evening by a report that Kellogg had been shot. The report was untrue, but it appears that a pistol was fired near him, and some reports say at him.

The Superintendent of Morgan's Texas Railroad makes the following statement: This morning, a detachment of police took charge of and picketed the wharf of the Texas Railroad Company, interfering with business and creating alarm. I rebuked Flanigan, who was in charge of the police, and sent word to Kellogg expressing disapprobation of their conduct. At half-past 4 o'clock Kellogg called at the office, corner of Natchez alley and Magazine street, to explain the matter. While doing so his carriage, at the door, was immediately surrounded by a large, excited crowd, who commenced jeering and denouncing him. Just as Kellogg's carriage was being driven off, some one in the crowd fired a pistol. The driver immediately plied the whip, and drove through Natchez alley at a furious pace.

BRASHEAR CITY, La., May 7.—The boats are all seized by the citizens. The United States troops are detained here, and unable to proceed further for want of transportation.

NEW ORLEANS, May 7.—The Registers assert that, although the United States troops are going to St. Martinsville upon the application of the United States Marshal upon a plea of serving a civil process, their real object, or the effect of their mission, will be to relieve the Metropolitans, whose petitions for help are thus heeded.

All the city papers condemn the action of the mob in breaking into the Government stores last night, and Gov. McEnery has issued an address of a similar purport.

NEW ORLEANS, May 7—8 p. m.—The *Picayune's* New Iberia special says: A sharp engagement took place to-day at St. Martinsville. The police, about 2:15 p. m., made a sortie from the town, attacked the forces of Col. Deblanc, who fell back before them. The police fired both solid shot and shell from their cannon, but without effect. They advanced about a mile and a half beyond the town and made a stand, but retreated after a brisk skirmish before the forces of Col. Deblanc.

BRASHEAR, La., May 7.—The United States troops are still here, quartered in the railroad depot. They expect to leave to-morrow, with the agreement that no Metropolitans shall have transportation with them.

NEW ORLEANS, May 7.—The *Picayune* has the following:

Reporter—Mr. Kellogg, I am a representative of the *Picayune*, and, if you have no objection to tell them, I should like you to detail the facts of the attempt on your life to-day.

Mr. K.—Certainly, I have no objection. I left the Mechanics' Institute, this afternoon, in company with Capt. George L. Norton, and went through Common to Magazine, and turned up Magazine to Whitney's office for the purpose of seeing Mr. Hutchinson regarding some complaints I heard he had made about his passengers being interrupted this morning by the police. After conversing with Mr. Hutchinson a short time, I told Norton he need not wait for me. He went off, and a few minutes later I left Mr. Hutchinson. On walking down the steps, just as I was about getting into my carriage, some gentlemen standing by asked me if my name was Kellogg, and I answered yes. He spoke very hastily, excitedly.

Reporter—Did you know him to be Mr. Bailey?

Mr. K.—No.

Reporter—Have you any remembrance of his appearance?

Mr. K.—He was a fine-looking, rather middle-aged man, of large stature. I noticed several rough characters and boys a little distance off, who seemed to be drawn on each side. There might have been of men and boys fifteen or twenty.

Reporter—He asked you if you were Gov. Kellogg or Mr. Kellogg?

Mr. K.—I can't say whether he said Mr. Kellogg or Gov. Kellogg.

Reporter—What did he do when you told him you were Gov. Kellogg?

Mr. K.—He spoke excitedly, and used harsh language, saying "You are a damned scoundrel," and one or two other expressions of like import. I was in the act of getting into the carriage, and I said to him, "I am not acquainted with you; I don't know that I have done anything to offend you, sir." Some other person, a short distance off, raised his hand and shook his fist at me, saying something I could not understand, because my driver started the horses. As we went around the corner from Magazine street, I heard a shot, and simultaneously felt the passage of a shot by my neck.

Reporter—The reporters had it that you were shot in the neck.

Mr. K.—Well, the reason of that is that when the ball passed I involuntarily raised my hand to my neck. The driver was driving pretty fast, and I said to him, "Be careful and don't run into that dray." I spoke pretty sharp to him. I really was not conscious that a pistol was aimed at me until I felt a tingling.

Reporter—You then went where?

Mr. K.—Just as soon as we drove on Camp street I said, "Don't drive so fast," and he drove comparatively slow round to the St. Charles Hotel.

Reporter—I heard that you went to the St. Charles Hotel and procured a close carriage, and had fifteen policemen to come up here as a bodyguard.

Mr. K.—That is not so. I was at the hotel some time talking to Mr. Rivers, until I came up here with Capt. Flanigan in the carriage that is standing at the door.

Reporter—Then I suppose, Mr. Kellogg, that is all you know of the affair.

Mr. K.—That is all I know; but I have been told since that the person who accosted me was Mr. Bailey.

While Mr. Kelley was narrating the incidents of his narrow escape, quite a number of persons dropped in, having heard the flying rumors, and when he closed his story they stepped forward and congratulated him. Dr. Kellogg, Judge Howell, and others of Kellogg's adherents, were among those who first offered their congratulations.

The young man who fired the shot was about three paces behind the carriage as it turned into Natchez street, followed by a large and jeering crowd. It penetrated the back of the carriage. The man was well dressed, very quiet, and very collected.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Private dispatches from Louisiana represent the condition of affairs there as even worse and more alarming than detailed in the general press telegrams. Gov. Kellogg started out with the determination to crush the McEnery party, but he finds this more difficult than he anticipated. The McEnery party are armed and arming, and in many parts of the State it is reported they will be able to offer successful resistance to Kellogg's forces. Up this time Gov. Kellogg has not called upon the President of the United States in the way prescribed by the Constitution for assistance. According to the last decision of the Acting Secretary of War, Secretary Robeson, Gen. Emery is not authorized to use the national troops until he does so, except to secure the service of process issued by the United States Courts.

FARMERS AND PRODUCERS.

Second Day's Proceedings of the Farmers' and Producers' Convention—Josiah Quincy Elected Chairman—Resolutions and Speeches.

NEW YORK, May 7.—The Farmers' Cheap Transportation Convention met this forenoon at 10:30, B. H. Ferguson, of Troy, N. Y., in the chair.

After a number of associations had been admitted to representation in the Convention, the Committee on Permanent Organization made the following report: President, Josiah Quincy, Boston; Secretary, B. H. Ferguson, Troy; Vice-Presidents, Lewis A. Thomas, Iowa; Henry Bronson, Kansas; Gen. Wm. Vandever, Wisconsin; Wm. Buswell, Iowa; Gov. Smith, Georgia; J. A. Thompson, West Virginia; Adelbert Ames, Mississippi; Geo. J. Pott, New York; J. B. Phinney, Illinois; W. G. Wood, Ohio; E. A. Stanwood, Missouri; J. H. Gray, District of Columbia; Joseph E. Stetson, New Jersey; Franklin C. Johnson, Indiana; A. Morrison, Minnesota; A. L. Dodge, Vermont; E. Wakley, Nebraska; ex-Gov. Padelford, Rhode Island; Gen. T. C. Hersey, Maine; J. B. Sergeant, Connecticut; Henry S. Hall, North Carolina; Col. Palmer, Columbia, S. C.; M. D. Wilbur, Michigan; James McArthur, Kentucky; Daniel Pratt, of Alabama. The report was approved, and a Committee of five was appointed to inform Mr. Quincy of his appointment.

When that gentleman entered the room he was warmly received. In his address to the Convention Mr. Quincy said that he had spent a large part of his life in building railroads, and he felt very keenly the danger growing out of immense railroad monopolies. He appreciated their great benefits, but was aware of their danger to the people. The great granaries of Illinois held enough to supply the East with food, but it depends on one or two men to say what shall be paid for that food when delivered in Eastern cities. He thought something must be done to take this matter out of the hands of the few men. It was a matter that interested deeply the whole country, and should not be controlled by a very few. The object of this association was to counteract the great evil. Railroads have power to bribe Legislatures, and will continue to dictate laws until the people shall have come together and assert their rights. The rights of railroad shareholders are not to be infringed upon, but the paramount right of the whole people to cheap transportation must be asserted and secured.

The constitution and by-laws reported provide that the organization shall be known as "The National American Cheap Transportation Association," whose object shall be the cheapening and equalization of railroad transportation rates throughout the United States, and make provision also for a subordinate association in each State, and regulate minor matters for the guidance and government of national and State associations.

The Convention then took a recess till 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The Convention reassembled at 3 o'clock. The following parties were admitted as delegates: The Rev. Mr. Freeman, Illinois; M. M. Pomeroy, Charles H. Morris, of the Purveyors' Association and Board of Trade, New York; the Hon. D. B. Mellish, and Theodore E. Tomlinson. While waiting for the report of the Committee on Resolutions, Horace H. Day, M. M. Pomeroy, and others, delivered brief addresses, advocating the objects of the movement. The Secretary read a letter from Gov. Smith, of Georgia, regretting his inability to be present, and expressing the opinion that cheap transportation can only be secured by lines of water communication. The letter concludes as follows: "I agree with you, that there is no question before the country of equal importance with this, and I heartily second you in your patriotic desire that neither party ties nor sectional jealousies be suffered to interfere with or impede the successful prosecution of the grand undertaking. It would give me great pleasure to see you at the Convention at Atlanta on the 20th of May, accompanied by such delegation as the Convention of the 6th of May select.

M. D. Wilbur, Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, made a report. The resolutions created considerable discussion, some delegates objecting to the strong language used toward the railroad corporations. The resolutions were taken up section by section, and discussed and adopted. The following are the resolutions, as amended and adopted:

WHEREAS, The productive industries of the United States, plantation and farm, mine and factory, commercial and mercantile, are not only the sources of all our national and individual wealth, but also the elements on which our very national and individual existence depends; and

WHEREAS, All national products are the fruits of labor and capital, and as neither labor nor capital will continue actively employed without an equivalent reasonably just; and

WHEREAS, Great national industries are only sustained and prospered by the interchange of products of one section of country with those of another; and

WHEREAS, The existing rates of transportation for the varied products of the Union from one part of the country to another, and to foreign countries, as well as the transit cost of the commodities required in exchange are, in many instances injurious, and to certain interests absolutely destructive, arising, in part at least, from an insufficiency of avenues; and

WHEREAS, The great national want of the nation to-day is relief from the present rates of transit upon American products; therefore,

Resolved, That it is the duty of the hour, and the mission of this Association, to obtain from Congress and the different State Legislatures such legislation as may be necessary to control and limit by law, within the proper constitutional and legitimate limits, the rates and charges of existing lines of transportation; to increase, where practicable, the capacity of our present water ways, and to add such new measures, both water and rail, as our immensely increasing internal commerce demands, so that the producer may be jointly rewarded for his honest toil, the consumer have cheap products, and our almost limitless surplus find foreign markets at rates to compete with the world.

Resolved, That a cheap transportation, both of persons and property, being most conducive to the free movement of the people, and the widest interchange and consumption of the products of the different parts of the Union, is essential to the welfare and prosperity of the country.

Resolved, That constant and frequent association of the inhabitants of remote parts of the United States is not only desirable, but necessary, for the maintenance of a homogeneous and harmonious population within the vast area of our territory.

Resolved, That the best interests of the different parts of the country also demand the freest possible interchange of the industrial products of the varied climates and industries of the United States, so that breadstuffs, textile fabrics, coal, lumber, iron, sugar, and various other products, local in their production but general in their consumption, may all reach the consumer at the least practicable cost of transportation, and that an arbitrary and unnecessary tax levied by the transporter over and above a fair remuneration for investment is a burden upon the producer and consumer, that it is part of wise statesmanship to remove.

Resolved, That certain leading railroad corporations of the country, although chartered to subserve the public welfare, and endowed with the right of eminent domain solely for that reason, have proved themselves practically monopolies, and become the tools of avaricious and unscrupulous capitalists to be used to plunder the public, enrich themselves, and impoverish the country through which they run.

Resolved, That many of the railroad corporations have not only disregarded the public convenience and prosperity, but have oppressed citizens, bribed our Legislatures, and dafied our Executive and Judges, and stand to-day a most menacing danger to American liberty and to republican government.

Resolved, That the present system of railway management, having failed to meet the just expectations and demands of a long suffering people, must be radically reformed and controlled by the strong hand of the law, both State and National, and the railway corporations compelled to perform their proper functions as servants, and not as masters, of the people.

Resolved, That to this end we invoke the aid of all fair-minded men in all States of the Union in excluding from the halls of legislation, from our executive offices, and from the bench, all such railway officials, railway attorneys, or other hirelings, as prostitute public office to the base use of private gain.

Resolved, That, leaving the different sections and interests that desire cheap transportation to work out the problem in such manner as they may deem best, we earnestly invoke their careful consideration, their energetic action, and their resolute will in regulating and controlling rates of transportation, and in giving remunerative wages to the producer and cheap products to the consumer, untaxed by unearned charges for their carriage.

Resolved, That we invite the people of the various States to organize subsidiary associations, State, county, and town, to co-operate with the National Association; that the power to accomplish the purposes desired rests absolutely with the suffering millions. Belief is within their own control. United action and the near future will give, as certain as it is needed, for all time and the good of all, the true solution of the problem of cheap transportation.

On motion, the following committee was appointed to draft an address to the people: The Hon. Josiah Quincy, Boston; M. D. Wilbur, Michigan; Horace H. Day, New York City; B. H. Ferguson, Troy, N. Y.; Henry Bronson, Kansas; J. A. Noonan, Milwaukee; and W. H. C. Price, New York.

The Convention then adjourned to meet in Washington, January, 1874, at the call of the Executive Committee.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 7.—The Convention of Western farmers now in session in this city, having elected Josiah Quincy, of Boston, President, and other officers, besides adopting a Constitution, proceeded to consider the ways and means of cheapening the rates of transportation of produce. Mr. Quincy, in an eloquent address, said that he had spent a large part of his life in building railroads. He felt very keenly the danger growing out of immense railroad monopolies. He appreciated their great benefits, but was aware of their danger to the people. The great granaries of Illinois held enough to supply the East with food, but it depends upon one or two men to say what shall be paid for the food when delivered in the Eastern cities. He thought something must be done to take this out of the hands of a few men.

WALL STREET.

Review of the Money, Gold, Bond, Stock, and Produce Markets.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 7.—The supply of loanable funds at this point is steadily increasing. The money market seems at last to have settled down to an easy condition for the spring and summer months. Currency is still flowing this way. The banks are getting into stronger positions, and are discounting more freely for their customers, as well as offering increased amounts of money on call to leading brokers. On the Stock Exchange money was very easy to-day, and the brokers supplied themselves at 7 to 5 per cent per annum. One of the gratifying changes resulting from the present condition of finances is the increased demand for mercantile paper, of which very large amounts were placed yesterday and to-day in the open market at 7 to 9 per cent for prime names, and 10 to 12 per cent for second-class names. Many capitalists manifest a disposition to place money for a period of time covering the summer months, hence all offerings of strictly prime paper are eagerly taken up. Another important feature attending the increased ease in money is the improved demand for new railway bonds, which have good properties behind them, and which are offered by bankers of standing in the community. This demand for railway bonds is likely to increase in future, when we reach a great plethora of money, which event seems not very far distant.

STOCKS.

The stock market presented no unusual features this afternoon. Canton, one of Drew's favorites, and of which he is supposed to hold nine-tenths of the stock, advanced to 104¾@ 105¼. The stock during the recent depression sold at 85. The most active stock has been Union Pacific.

GOLD

closed at 117¼.

BONDS.

Governments at the close were firm.

PRODUCE.

The inquiry for low grades of flour is good and these are scarce; and the market is firmer for shipping extras and good superfine. Medium grades are plenty and heavy. Family grades are quiet but steady. The demand for wheat early in the day was rather more active, and under more favorable news from Europe, prices were firmer. The demand is chiefly for export. The market for mess pork continues very dull. But little business reported. There is scarcely any demand for round lots. Under unfavorable reports from Western points the market declined. The market for Western steam lard, for spot and future delivery, opened strong on yesterday's quotations, but a limited demand soon caused a reaction. Some sales were made at 9⅝c on the spot. For the balance of the month, June, and July, trade was dull.

Indiana Municipal Elections.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 7.—Full returns from all the wards in the city give Mitchell, Democrat, for Mayor, 378 majority. The Republican candidates on the balance of the ticket are elected by majorities ranging from 180 to 580. The new Council will stand 11 Republicans to 7 Democrats.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., May 7.—The contest on yesterday over the city election was one of the most exciting for many years. The Republicans had no ticket in the field, but supported the Independent Democratic ticket, which was not put before the people until Monday morning. For the position of Treasurer there was no opposition, and each party elected two of the remaining candidates. Col. Zollinger, Democrat, was elected by a majority of 953, which is about 700 less than the majority at the last State election. Freeman, Democrat, was elected Clerk by a majority of 651. There was a desperate contest over City Marshal, but the Independents elected Kelly by 46 majority, and Strong, for Assessor, by a majority of 1,350. In two Democratic wards Independent Councilmen were elected.

Movement of Troops.

YANKTON, D. T., May 7.—Ten companies of the Seventh Cavalry, which have been encamped here, took up their line of march at noon to-day, under command of Gen. Custer, up the Missouri River. It is understood that the companies will be located at such points west of the Missouri River, along the proposed line of the Northern Pacific Railroad, as their services may be required. Owing to the absence of forage along the line of march, the progress must be slow, and the regiment will probably not reach the crossing before the 10th of June.

CHIEF JUSTICE CHASE.

Death of the Great Jurist and Statesman.

His Sudden and Unexpected Demise ---His Last Hours.

Scenes and Incidents Attending His Death.

NEW YORK, May 7.—Chief Justice Salmon P. Chase is dead. He was yesterday attacked by apoplexy, in this city, and died this morning at 10:30 o'clock, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. William S. Hoyt, No. 4 West Thirty-third street. His two daughters and Senator Sprague were present.

The Chief Justice came on here on Saturday evening to visit Mrs. W. S. Hoyt, his daughter. He was in unusually good health and spirits. This favorable state of things continued until yesterday morning, when at 10 o'clock a servant sent to call him to breakfast, on entering his room, found Mr. Chase lying in a state of unconscious stupor. His daughter was summoned, and servants were dispatched for medical aid. When the physicians arrived, the unconsciousness was found to have resulted from the recurrence of paralysis, of which he has had several strokes. All efforts to relieve him proved unavailing, and it was evident that his vitality was ebbing away. Gov. Sprague and his wife, daughter of Judge Chase, were summoned, and arrived in the city last evening. His two daughters remained by his bedside until, at 10:30 this morning, he breathed his last. He remained totally unconscious from the time his condition was discovered until the end.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—When Chief Justice Chase left here last Saturday for New York he was rather feeble, but not more so than he has been for several weeks past, and his friends did not anticipate so sudden a termination of his life. It is certain that Judge Chase himself had no immediate apprehension of death. He had made arrangements for a somewhat extended trip. The points of his journey included New York, Providence, Boston, and Cincinnati, bringing up in Colorado Territory, where he proposed spending most of the summer with an old friend. He had an idea that the clear, bracing air of Colorado would be of great benefit to him. This was also the opinion of his physician, Dr. Brown-Sequard, under whose care he had recently placed himself.

On the occasion of his departure from the city, on Saturday morning last, a little breakfast party was assembled at the Sprague mansion, corner of Sixth and E streets, where the Chief Justice has resided for a year past, consisting of Judge Chase; Judge Worden, his private secretary and biographer; Miss Walker, a sister of Judge Walker, of Ohio; Miss Carrie Moulton, and Miss Amy Auld, a niece of the Chief Justice. Mrs. Sprague had left Washington two days before, and was not present, nor was Senator Sprague, who left for the East soon after the adjournment of Congress. The breakfast passed off pleasantly, although it was noticed that the Chief Justice was not in his usual spirits.

Judge Chase's last interview with any leading statesman in Washington was with Senator Sumner. Mr. Sumner is himself an invalid and unable to make calls, but learning that the Chief Justice was about to leave the city, he made an extra effort, as he says, and called upon him on Friday afternoon. The interview was brief, continuing for about half an hour. Mr. Sumner says it was exceedingly pleasant, and the Chief Justice discussed public affairs with his accustomed clearness and ability. There was nothing to indicate any impaired condition of the mental faculties. "You know," said Mr. Sumner, to-day, in relating the circumstances of the interview, "Judge Chase and I were always warm friends. I had a great respect for him, not more on account of his abilities as a statesman than because of his patriotism. We sat together in the Senate in the days when the principles of the Republican party were not as popular as they are now, and I always found him faithful." Mr. Sumner says they talked over the old times, and then reverted to current topics, among others the conditions of affairs in Louisiana. The Chief Justice was of opinion that Congress committed a great blunder in failing to act upon that question when it was presented to them. Such scenes as were being enacted in Louisiana were calculated, he thought, to destroy the faith of the people in a Republican form of government. His criticisms of public men were free and candid, but of course these were not intended for the public. When he heard of the death of the Chief Justice, Mr. Sumner was much affected. He expressed great gratification that he had the pleasure of meeting him so recently. The following letter was received on Monday by Judge Worden, Judge Chase's private secretary and biographer. It is the last letter received here from him, and was written in lead pencil:

NEW YORK, May 4.

Dear Judge:

Please excuse my penciling. It is more convenient than ink. I had rather a cold and bleak ride yesterday, relieved by the comfort of a compartment which I should call a box, but was rewarded at the end of it by seeing my children in good health, and some of my grandchildren. There is nothing changed in my personal condition. How do you feel now that I am gone? Relieved from my sick ways and utterances, or upon the whole are you sorry to miss me? Remember me to Donn and Mrs. Pistt when you see them. I hope Mrs. P. has quite recovered from the effects of the shock and discomforts to which she was subjected by the fire. Tell Donn that I was disappointed by his non-fulfillment of his promise to Mrs. Sprague to call on me to say "good-bye." Do you remember Dr. Brown-Sequard's note? Was it left among the letters of which you took charge? Please inclose it by return mail. I still propose going to Boston on Wednesday or Thursday, and particularly want the note. Faithfully your friend, S. P. CHASE.

Hon. B. R. Worden.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—The Chief Justice had been for a long time under the impression that his disease was the result of fever and ague, contracted several years ago in Michigan, the peculiar feature of which was physical weakness and inability to labor continuously. For this reason he had for some time past refrained from attempting any protracted mental labor.

NEW YORK, May 7.—The *Tribune* publishes the following to-morrow:

The first knowledge people had that the Chief Justice of the United States was in New York was conveyed in the brief announcement of his death. One week ago to-day, the last decisions were rendered in the Supreme Court, and the Judges dispersed. Mr. Chase left Washington on Saturday morning, and reached here that evening, went directly to the house of his younger daughter, Mrs. Janet R. C. Hoyt, No. 4 West Thirty-third street. He spent Sunday quietly, riding in the afternoon to Central Park. On Monday morning some of his friends, who had learned of his arrival in the city, came to pay their respects, and with one of the most intimate and trusted of them, Mr. Hiram Barney, he walked down Fifth avenue, and discussed in a pleasant and familiar way the topics of the hour, and among them Charles Francis Adams' oration on Seward. In parting, Mr. Chase urged Mr. Barney to come and see him often, and exacted a promise that he should come on Wednesday morning. He did so, and came just in time to see him die.

On Monday evening there was not discernible any shadow of the disaster so fast approaching. He seemed in his usual health, and in very good spirits, although complaining of a little fatigue, and entered into an animated conversation with those friends who were present. To one of them he detailed his plans for the coming summer. This morning he was to have gone to Boston, remaining there with relations two or three weeks. Returning, his intention was to stop in this city a few days on his way to Washington, and after completing matters of business and domestic interest there, to make a journey to Colorado Springs by easy stages, visiting his friends in Cincinnati and at other points along the route. These plans he gave with the repeated and emphasized condition, "If I live." About 10 o'clock, the usual hour for retiring, he said "Good night," and left the room. These were the last words he spoke, except, perhaps, that next morning, his servant understood him to say "Fire," in motioning toward the fire-place. On Monday morning, about half-past 8 o'clock, his servant entering his room, found him sleeping quietly, with his hand under his face, as he habitually lay. On approaching the bed a few moments later, the servant saw that the Chief-Justice was seized with a spasm, and the features were convulsed and light foam appearing on the lips. Drs. John G. Perry, Metcalfe, and Clarke were at once summoned, and it was pronounced an apoplectic attack, with paralysis of the left side. The paralysis of the attack of June, 1870, was of the right side, and had virtually disappeared, there being still very slight traces of it in the lips and right hand. This attack was more unexpected from the fact that Mr. Chase was assured by his physicians last summer that there was no longer any danger of a recurrence of a paralytic attack. From the time of the attack on Tuesday morning he remained entirely unconscious. His head was motionless, while his right arm was restlessly active. The convulsive spasms recurred frequently during the day, and the doctors finally placed their patient under the influence of chloroform, which was applied on a handkerchief to his face whenever a spasm was seen to be approaching. Its effect was immediate. All the unremitting care and attention that affection could suggest found no response. At a few minutes after 9 o'clock yesterday morning it became evident that he was sinking fast. His breathing became more and more labored, until at 10 o'clock precisely it ceased altogether. A spasmodic twitching beginning with the lower portion of the body followed, which lasted for a few seconds, and then all was still. There were present in the room at the time Senator Sprague and Mrs. K. C. Sprague, the Chief Justice's eldest daughter, Mr. W. S. Hoyt, and Mrs. Janet R. C. Hoyt, Mr. Edwin Hoyt, and Mr. Hiram Barney.

The remains of the Chief Justice will lie in St. George's Protestant Episcopal Church, Rutherford Place, from Friday till noon Saturday, to afford an opportunity of seeing them.

Dr. Tyng will conduct the funeral ceremonies, and the Rev. Dr. Hall will preach the sermon. The funeral takes place at 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, after which the body will be forwarded to Washington for temporary interment in the Congressional Cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM.

NEW YORK, May 7.—The death of Chief Justice Salmon P. Chase has caused general grief throughout the city. The flags on the City Hall, hotels, principal newspaper offices, and many private buildings are displayed at half-mast. All the evening papers contain obituaries, eulogistic of the integrity, ability, and spotless character of the deceased statesman.

The news of the death of the Chief Justice was not received in the United States Court Buildings until near the time of the adjournment of the United States Circuit and District Courts, and as the truth of the report was not considered absolutely certain, no motion was made to adjourn either Court, it being deemed expedient to postpone making such a motion until the report was confirmed.

CINCINNATI, O., May 7.—Samuel J. Covington, President of the Chamber of Commerce, announced

THE SOUTH.

A Protest Against the Illiberal Conduct of Some Northerners.

Letter from an Ex-Officer of the Union Army.

ATLANTA, Ga., April 25, 1873.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: As a Northern man who has resided in the South for the past eight years, I thank you for the liberal sentiments you are so ably advocating as to the proper course to be pursued by the Northern people towards their Southern brethren. It would indeed be well for every Northern man (and his family) who has hoped to improve his condition in life, or his (or their) healths by living in a milder climate, if your paper were the weekly visitor of every home in the South.

You even could not realize how unpleasant it is to straightforward Northern residents of the Southern States, who are identifying themselves with the interests of the Southern people, and are daily receiving increased marks of confidence, to see those people annoyed and harassed by

UNGENEROUS, CONTEMPTIBLE FLINGS,

meddlesome, uncalled-for insinuations, about their want of patriotism, their hatred of the General Government, their universal ignorance and shiftlessness, their dislike and ill-treatment of Northern people living amongst them,—their even forcing them, by destroying their property and by keeping them out of society, to leave the South. Now, it is possible that your intelligent, liberally-educated citizens still believe and swallow all these exaggerated misrepresentations without any doubts, or without making any allowance for the many reasons for starting and promulgating them?

Before, and especially during, the War, the Northern people were not only indoctrinated by politicians, but by many philanthropists, with sentiments well calculated to cause a want of confidence in the good intentions and the honesty of all classes of the Southern people. Slavery was, I grant, considered by the mass of the Northern people to be a sad, yes, terrible, calamity (I thought so); while this people thought otherwise. Their reasons for so believing were not only questioned, but ridiculed; and, when the War was the result, we all (count myself in) doubted their honesty in doing as they did.

I DO NOT NOW.

Natural consequences only followed. They were exasperated because of Northern interference with what they felt were their rights; and they fought like tigers for those rights, as they saw them. They looked with their eyes, not with ours.

Eight years' close observation, and an intimate acquaintance with many Confederate officers, and with many of the leading citizens of Tennessee and Georgia, whose whole souls were with the movement which aroused and helped to carry on the War, convince me that, when all was over,—when Gens. Lee and Johnston surrendered,—all parties had fully made up their minds to

ACCEPT HEARTILY THE TERMS OF PEACE,

as foreshadowed by Gens. Grant and Sherman, to conduct themselves in accordance with them, and to so advise their people and soldiery. I am equally satisfied that an early and pleasant settlement of our national and local troubles would have been brought about if a set of unprincipled, thieving

NORTHERN ADVENTURERS,

who had no standing at home,—not a chance for political preferment,—had not come down into the South, and sought and reached public places everywhere by appealing to the lowest feelings of the colored population,—by daily exciting prejudices on their part towards their former masters, to such an extent as to endanger the lives of the latter, and the safety of their property. (The many murders, and the daily work of the incendiary, for a time verified beyond question that fact.)

Then, upon the very foot-prints of those dark days, to have Congressional enactments rapidly following each other, looking not only to distrusting the good intentions of one and all of the people, but to taking away from them even the possibility for the time being to regulate

THEIR INTERNAL AFFAIRS,

was, to say the least, hard to bear. But, when the little the States, counties, and cities had left was not only misapplied, but even destroyed or stolen, is it to be wondered at that this people should have abhorred those in power, and looked with distrust upon every one from the North; that they should think it wise to watch all of them, and prove their good intentions and general character

BY THEIR ACTS

before receiving them into full confidence, and extending to them the private and pleasing relations of their home society?

It is all nonsense to publish to the world that they never recognize, socially, the Northern gentleman and lady.

I KNOW THAT IS NOT SO.

On the contrary, I know of many instances where Southern gentlemen and ladies have put themselves out of their way to extend courtesies to Northern persons of good standing, that had been found to be gentlemen and ladies. It is with Northern men and women to make their positions (it may take some time). It is so all over the Northern and Western States, and why should it not be so here? Your society demands persons well introduced, or to have proven themselves worthy of confidence, before they are received in a social way; and yet, judging from the tone of many of the Northern press, these well-established and very correct rules of your society must be entirely ignored by this people.

And have they not much greater reason for moving cautiously? They certainly have had many positive proofs of new-comers turning out badly. Their endeavors to encourage immigration and the bringing of capital into their midst have been abused and misunderstood. The South is fast getting to be, and can well be,

INDUSTRIALLY INDEPENDENT.

This people have wonderfully recovered their lost energies, from the shock caused by the loss of their slaves, as well as other possessions, and from the unsettled and unsatisfactory condition of the balance of the country, was left in when the War ended. For a time, it was hard for them to appreciate their condition; but they have not only done so, but the former master and slave now understand each other's position, and are doing well. The doubts and fears heretofore existing have been, in a great measure, swept away. In a very short time, all will be well, if they can only be let alone.

As to the situation of

NORTHERN RESIDENTS,

they can and are bound to do well, also, if they only act like men, and pursue a square, straightforward course of conduct, and are liberal-minded, expecting no more than they should give,—no more than are the natural promptings of a gentleman or lady. The Southerners cannot help liking an independent thinker; for masters not how much he may differ with others, if they are satisfied he is honest in his views; while they despise a sneak and fawning hypocrite. I have been prompted to write this letter on account of

THE GREAT WRONGS

which are continually being done to Northern people who have homes all over the South, by those dainty travelers from the North who pass through some section of the South, and who then, with the hope of getting a little cheap popularity, give erroneous, stereotyped views of this people and their habits, to some local political paper, or settle down and send their letters to the Northern press.

Take, for instance, the inclosed specimen from one William P. Frye, M. C., which I see has found its way into several Northern papers, but, I am pleased to add, with general comment:

From the Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

The Hon. William P. Frye, member of Congress from this district, arrived home Friday evening. Mr. Frye is in excellent health. He made a brief trip into Virginia, with a view, at the outset, of traveling further South, but his experience of Southern life was so unpleasant that he returned, going no further than Petersburg. He says that the utmost poverty, neglect, and prejudice prevail, and that the people are far behind in improvements, and their methods of living. The hotels are foul and unwholesome, the cookery bad, and the entire atmosphere tainted with shiftlessness. The prejudice against Northern men is still deep, especially in social relations. Mr. Frye speaks of one Southern lady in Maine now, who has lived in Petersburg twelve years, next door "neighbor" to an "F. F. V." of most asure blood. It chanced that the houses of the two were identical. For nearly twelve years the two families had lived side by side without the slightest social intercourse, till one day recently a daughter of the aristocratic Virginian stumbled into the Yankee's house by blunder. She soon retreated on discovering her mistake. On reaching home her mother required her to remove her clothing, and be sure and not put on the habiliments desecrated by the Yankee's footstool until they had been washed.

Most of the Southern journalists take no notice of these ill-bred attacks, but, nevertheless, it stings them, and naturally, when seen by the masses, calls forth a determination to ignore Northern society.

Now, I ask, is it possible that "M. C.'s" can make capital at home by criticising the manner of cooking and living of their Southern neighbors. When all is said, it is

ONLY A MATTER OF TASTE.

When Webster, Clay, Silas Wright, the Adamses, and that class of men were in Congress, great sentiments were looked for,—something elevated. The general good and the well-being of the whole country were considered from some high standpoint. I imagine it would have been a matter of indifference to them as to whether the Southern folks preferred corn-bread to baker's bread for dinner, or whether they fried or broiled their meats. They did not publicly discuss, or give observations to publish abroad, how this or that section lived; or relate, for the same purpose, with great gusto, some damaging story about some "Virginian lady stumbling into a Yankee neighbor's by blunder," and then being required, by an infuriated mother, to remove her clothes. It is possible the said Yankees were dirty people; and it is also possible that said Virginians were narrow-minded fools. The like are found all over the country. (It is more than probable that the story is without a shadow of truth to stand upon.) It is certainly true that every village, as well as city, North and South, has near neighbors who only know each other by name; and almost every place has families from some cause deadly hostile to each other.

Allow me to protest earnestly, but respectfully, against

THIS ILLIBERAL WARFARE

on the part of some of the Northern journals and people, who are thus trying to keep alive the smouldering fire caused by that dead issue, —Slavery,—and the late War. I cannot believe that they can be so ungenerous as to take delight in injuring the standing and social relations of their friends and relations all over the South, who prefer to live here and be respected. Yet this unwise, mean course is doing so everywhere. No persons, much less a whole people, like to have their real faults thrown up to them; but, when they are continually chafed by falsehoods, they are not to be blamed for resenting it. I repeat, they are now able to and can take care of themselves. They certainly have had enough to suffer in the past, without continuing to stand such abuse unnoticed.

On the contrary, give them a few more such

LIBERAL, GRACEFUL ACTS

as that of Vice-President Wilson in calling the Hon. John B. Gordon to preside over the Senate, and all will be well. Northern residents will be well treated. Peace will be restored in reality.

It is kindness and magnanimity that subdue and kill a brave, big-hearted people,—not insults and injuries. Respectfully,

WILLIAM H. WHITE,
Late Surgeon of the First and Twenty-second Iowa Regiments.

EVANSTON.

First Meeting of the New Board of Trustees—Session of the Board of Education.

The first regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of this village was held in the office of Charles K. Bannister, Village Clerk, on Tuesday evening. The members were all present except H. G. Powers; the President, Charles J. Gilbert, in the chair.

Mr. Bannister read the President's message, in which some valuable suggestions were made. It was recommended that a Board of Health be organized, consisting of physicians who would serve free, and that the Board so formed report to the Trustees every month. The importance of labeling the streets with their respective names; the establishment of a uniform grade on business streets; the necessity of cleaning the streets and alleys; and that immediate action be taken to push through the Lake Shore drive, as the right of way may have to be purchased, were all recommended. Also the erection of a crib north of the pier, 100x150 feet, to protect the water-pipes when laid. The appointment of the following Committees was confirmed:

Finance and Water—Gage and Powers.
Streets, Alleys, and Sidewalks—Phelps and Blanchard.
Street Lamps, Fire Department, and Assessments—Willard and Gilbert.
Police, Licenses, and Drainage—Powers and Gilbert.
Public Library, Plats, and Subdivisions—Blanchard and Willard.

Bills were audited and ordered paid, footing up $295.94. A petition for a sidewalk in front of Mr. Leonard's property on Hinman avenue was referred to the Committee on Streets and Alleys. A petition for a plank sidewalk on the west side of Forest avenue, from Davis street south to the village limits, was referred to the same Committee. The petition of T. C. Hoag et al. for a drain on the south side of Davis street, from Chicago to Sherman avenues, to drain cellars, was referred to the Committee on Streets and Alleys, with power to act. The petition of C. F. Frey and the owners of a tract of 77 acres adjoining the West line of the Village of Evanston, remonstrating against the efforts being made for annexation, was referred to the same Committee. Connors' Subdivision of Lots 21 and 22, Block 40, of Village of Evanston, was referred to the Committee on Streets and Alleys.

A communication from the Chicago Gas Light and Coke Company, in which the offer was made to light the streets of the village with gas for $18.14 per lamp for the year, the present cost for same with oil, is $12, was referred to the aforesaid Committee.

Hugh A. White, Esq., was elected Corporation Counsel for the ensuing year; Henry Oaker, Street Commissioner; Lyman J. Gage, Treasurer, and M. Jennings, lamplighter.

Messrs. Powers and Willard were appointed to revise the ordinances of the Board. The Village Clerk was instructed to draw an ordinance, covering the same ground as the State law, against cattle running at large.

The Street Commissioner was instructed to notify the people to clean their alleys.

Messrs. Blanchard and Gage were appointed to negotiate for the purchase of a safe, after which the Board adjourned for one week.

PHILOSOPHICAL.

The Evanston Philosophical Association met on Tuesday night in the Library Hall, Prof. Oliver Morey in the Chair. John F. Dale, of Winnetka; N. W. Boomer, of North Evanston; and T. Dwight, of South Evanston, were elected to membership in the Association. Dr. Miner Raymond read a paper on "Education," which elicited considerable discussion and praise. A. Hesler produced, for examination by the Association, the negative of a flash of lightning, which he took during the recent storm. The remainder of the evening was spent in social conversation. The Association will hold the next meeting on the first Tuesday of June.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

for the Township of Evanston met at the residence of Isaac R. Hitt on Tuesday evening. There were present, A. Shuman, President of the Board; I. R. Hitt, J. E. Miller, G. E. Purrington, A. W. Wood, and Prof. Charles Raymond. A petition was read, signed by the residents on Dempster street, praying that the Board pay their share for claying and graveling said street. The Board, after some discussion, acceded to the prayer of the petition, with the proviso that the cost should not exceed 18 cents per foot. The Committee on Teachers were given discretionary power to admit pupils from other school districts. The janitor's salary was fixed at $25 for the summer months. The pay-roll for the month of April was audited by the Committee on Finance, and the Secretary instructed to draw orders for the same.

The Board adjourned to meet on Friday evening, the 16th instant.

THE DIXON DISASTER--AN ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

STERLING, Ill., May 5, 1873.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: As the special train was returning last evening from the sad scenes and sights of the terrible calamity that has befallen our sister city of Dixon, a meeting was organized in the crowded cars, and the sincere and heartfelt thanks of our people were cordially and unanimously extended to the officers of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad, and to the telegraph company and their employes, for their kindness and zeal in providing, at so short a notice, a special train for our people on that occasion.

John B. Mallett, Esq., our able and efficient Agent here; J. P. Lawrence, the Conductor; Larry Gagin, the Engineer; George B. Skitel, the Road-Master; J. R. Smith, Local Baggageman; and T. L. Parks, the Telegraph-Operator, are entitled to all praise for the kindness, energy, and dispatch with which everything was done. They deserve well of our people, and the companies may well feel proud of such men.

The train was free to all, and the cars were crowded to suffocation, and hundreds could not go for want of room. Truly yours,

A. A. TERRELL.

Ex-Gov. Hayes has declined for the second time the appointment of Assistant Treasurer at Cincinnati.

IT COST HIM $25.

An Ungallant Sewing-Machine Man Fined That Sum for Roughly Ejecting a Lady from His Store.

The exact amount of homage due the recipient of a salary of $40 per week, and the charming tyranny that such a person expects to exercise with impunity upon employes, was illustrated yesterday morning in the West Side Police Court, where Mr. W. H. Wellington, agent for the Grover & Baker Sewing Machine Company, was fined $25 for an unprovoked assault upon Miss Fry, a young lady who had been an employe of the agency, and had been discharged by Mr. Wellington. The testimony fully established the brutality of the assault, but the causes which led to it did not appear in evidence, and as they are essential to a proper estimate of the assailant, and of the system of petty despotism carried on by persons enjoying the salary and position of Mr. Wellington, we shall give a short history of the case:

Miss Fry was one of the ladies employed in the salesroom of the office, which is now situated at 158 State street, and was engaged by the former agent, a Mr. Wheeler. This gentleman, it would seem, was a *rara avis* among agents, for both his wife and himself were much liked by their subordinates. After Mr. Wellington's appointment, the pleasant relations between the ladies of the office and the former agent's wife were kept up, and caused much jealousy on the part of Mr. Wheeler's successor. This resulted in a dislike for Miss Fry and the other ladies on the part of Mr. Wellington, who discharged the lady on the ground of "too much partiality for Mrs. Wheeler."

There is a young man in the office, rejoicing in the name of B. A. Green, who had been paying attentions to Miss Fry, but had been warned by Mr. Wellington that his attentions to that lady must cease, if he wished to retain his situation. Mr. B. A. Green paid no heed to this warning, which tended to increase his employer's dislike for the innocent cause of the trouble. When, however, Mr. Green lost half a day in driving Miss Fry out in a buggy, Mr. Wellington's delicate ire was fully aroused. It was insubordination.

Miss Fry accompanied a Miss Allen to the office one day last week, the latter's object being to pay a bill. During the few minutes thus occupied, Miss Fry took a seat near a sewing machine, waiting for her friend. The gallant Mr. Wellington drew forth a weapon, and said, in the use his own statement in the Police Court: "I'll just give you ten seconds to get out of here," and at the expiration of half that time, seized the unresisting girl by the arm with such force as to throw her against a sewing-machine and strain her back. The poor young lady hastily agreed to leave with the said gallant, and was followed by the sewing-machine agent, who stands more than six feet in his stockings, dragged her to the door and thrust her violently into the street. The gallant Green stood by and witnessed the assault without making an effort to protect the object of his alleged affections, who, on finding herself on the street and in great pain, went home to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Child, No. 655 West Washington street. Dr. Baxter, a physician of acknowledged ability, on being summoned to attend Miss Fry, found her arm black-and-blue from the elbow to the shoulder, and the shoulder itself so swollen as to make him believe that the brutal assault had dislocated it. This fortunately proved not to be the case, though the pain in the girl's back, too, had been severely wrenched, and she was unable to stand.

Mr. Child, who is well known in insurance circles, was indignant at this treatment, and applied to Justice Scully for a warrant to arrest the gentle Wellington, but Mr. Scully, finding that the assault had been committed in the South Side, referred the application to Mr. Mogherr Banyon. That unlearned person having heard the complaint, decided, without calling for testimony, that it was only a "disorderly" case; that there had been no assault, and that the warrant must only be given on the lesser charge. The case came up before Justice Scully yesterday, on a change of venue. Dr. Baxter's short and clear statement that a most brutal assault had been made on the lady, and when Mr. Frank Adams, for the prosecution, rose to reply to the attorney for the defense, the Court declined to hear him, as the case was too palpable for discussion.

Mr. Adams, while submitting to the request of Justice Scully, regretted that he had not an opportunity to tell Mr. W. H. Wellington just what he thought of him. Mr. Scully decided that the case was clearly one of assault and battery; that the respectability claimed by the prisoner not only did not mitigate but rather magnified the offense, and that the conduct of the prisoner was simply indefensible. He therefore fined him $25. The case was appealed. It would seem from the trifling amount of the fine that Mr. Scully must be henpecked, or he would have backed his rebuke with a heavier fine. He would have fined a woman $100 had the case been reversed. The prisoner has the full sympathy of a very large number of citizens now engaged in making brief in a distant part of the city, and whose wives appeal to the Mayor for their pardon, on the ground that "Shure, your Honor, he was dhrunk, or he never would have beat me." It is probable that the case will not end here. Miss Fry should be able to recover heavy damages for this trespass at law.

THE EXPOSITION.

The Plans for the Inter-State Exposition Taking Shape—The Building Proposed.

A full and important meeting of the Board of Directors of the Inter-State Exposition was held at their rooms yesterday forenoon. A full attendance and the best of feeling among those present indicated that the Association mean business. Their subscription has reached $130,000, and it is designed to increase it to $250,000. W. W. Boyington, architect, was instructed to prepare and present plans for the Grand Exposition Building, which will be erected on the lake shore in time for the Exposition to take place in October. It is proposed to make the building of iron and glass, of a highly ornamental design, a feature of beauty which, when once erected on the frontage of our city, our citizens will not willingly see removed. Nevertheless, the plan is only for one year's occupancy, the whole arrangement of the parts of the structure being of such a character that it can, without large expense, be taken down and removed to a permanent site when such is secured. It seems evident that Chicago is taking hold of this matter with her accustomed zeal, and the project will know no cessation or pause until a consummation is reached worthy of our New Chicago, in this our new metropolitan stage of growth. The subscriptions will go forward briskly when once the Directors show the community just what they wish to do, and that they mean to do it.

A SCENE AT POLICE HEADQUARTERS.

That exceedingly modest City Board, the Police Commissioners, was yesterday put to the blush by a woman of the town. Commissioner Sheridan was approached by a gentleman of the legal profession, who said he came on a high and holy mission. He came on behalf of his client, a lady who had been subjected to many trials and tribulations through the partiality of the Captain commanding the police force of the South Division. She was the proprietress of a house of prostitution, No. 412 State street, and on the ground floor sold pop and cigars. Her establishment had been raided frequently, and, as she sold no liquors, she felt it an injustice to herself. Hence she had deputed him to ask of the Board the favor of being allowed to carry on both businesses without molestation. Commissioner Sheridan assured the legal gentleman that the Board of Police did not do business in that way; that the orders issued by the Chief of Police were peremptory, and the Captains pulled these places without fear or favor. The lawyer thereupon asked the privilege of introducing the proprietress to Mr. Sheridan, and, having obtained leave, handed her out of a carriage into the Commissioners' office. She repeated the request of her legal representative, and Mr. Sheridan's usually rosy face assumed a hue of a more pronounced shade. He told the woman that her place was the snare and ruin of many a virtuous young man who would never have entered it had he known the true character of it, and that she must cease one or the other branches of her business. The woman maintained that she could not afford to, and insisted that hers was an orderly, well-conducted, and inoffensive house. She even invited the Board to step into the carriage and drive over to inspect it. Mr. Mason's blush was very perceptible; Col. Wright hid his face by looking at the Pacific Hotel, while Mr. Sheridan suddenly turned the conversation into a less dangerous channel, by asking kindly after Col. Wright's family. The woman took the hint and left, after making sure of another raid by advertising her den. This is known by the police to be one of the worst in the city, and it will be broken up by continual pulling.

CAPT. JACK'S VICTORY.

Details of the Second Lava-Bed Tragedy—How the Story of the Ambuscade Came to Camp.

Lava-Bed (April 27) Correspondence of the San Francisco Chronicle.

Their departure was very quietly made. Half the command was deployed as skirmishers, while the remainder kept within supporting distance as reserves. They slowly clambered over the rocks, moving in a southeasterly direction. From Maj. Green's camp we watched the thin line through our glasses. The last seen of them they were passing around a large sandhill, about a mile and a half off. Once past the lava bluff they were entirely lost to view. The Warm Spring Indians were on the extreme left. Two hours had elapsed when the reconnoitering party signaled back to camp that no Indians had yet been found. As they were only to explore the country a distance of about four miles, and as they had encountered no enemy, the general expectation in camp was that the party would return before nightfall.

The detachment, according to all accounts, reached its destination at noon. At the time I was watching from the signal-station the sweep of country over which they had passed. All at once I saw through my glass in the far distance some commotion in the rocks. A closer glance satisfied me that the Indians had been encountered. Though I could neither hear the cracks of any rifles nor see the puffs of smoke which generally succeed the flash of the guns, I was well satisfied, from the singular movements of the soldiers, that they were hotly engaged. They were running wildly about, crawling and creeping over the rocks, and seemed to be panic-stricken. The signal-officer at the station signalled Maj. Greene, who at once went to the assistance of Maj. Thomas' force.

About half-past 1 a handful of stragglers came into camp. They were fearfully panic-stricken and exhausted after their race from the savages. Breathless from clambering over the rocks, and too frightened to speak, nothing of the real nature of the disaster could at first be gleaned from them. Up to the time of the appearance of these stragglers in camp we had entertained no serious apprehensions as to the safety of the force under Maj. Thomas. We had conjectured that they were falling back in good order, and little was thought of the matter. But these stragglers, whom it subsequently appeared had basely and cowardly deserted their comrades at the first fire, brought in terrible tidings. They said the whole force had been ambushed by the Modocs, who were shooting the soldiers down like sheep. They said the force was surrounded on every side; that all were or would be killed, and that from 50 to 100 Indians were pouring in a galling fire on the remnant of the band.

The reinforcements sent to the relief of Maj. Thomas consisted of four companies, two from Maj. Green's camp and two from Col. Mason's camp. Stretchers for the accommodation of the wounded were also sent along. They reached Col. Mason's camp in about an hour and a half. Deploying as skirmishers to the left of that camp, they swept up the lava-bed in the direction it was supposed the men were. We listened patiently, expecting to hear every moment the rattle of musketry, but none was heard. Night was rapidly coming on, and we anxiously looked for a more intelligent account of the fight than that brought in by the recreant fugitives who fled at the first fire. One of them says that he left Capt. Wright and fifty others in a little hole or hollow they had sought to avoid the bullets. The Indians were firing down on them from all sides, when he jumped out and ran. How he escaped he knows not.

The cavalry, under Cresson and Trimble, took the right, under the high bluff, and soon both lines were lost to sight. Darkness gathered around us, and all was still. Sadly we waited the long night through, waiting intelligence of the fate of the force, but none came. Just about daylight, when Corporal Noble, of Battery A, came in and reported to Sergt. M. Boyle that he had been ordered by his officers to try and get through with word of their situation, and, taking two wounded men with him, he started, and, after floundering around in the darkness, finally came on Col. Green's lines. He had been shot in the neck by a minnie ball, but fortunately it was well spent, and inflicted only a severe wound. Saunders, private of Battery A, who came in with Noble, says they were driven into a little hollow, from the rim of whence the Indians fired down on them and even tried to kill them with stones. So close were they at times thrown by a Modoc hill that they could hear him. Private McMillon, of Battery, A had a shot put through the right hand from side to side. He was trying to prevent them from flanking his troop. The shot carried away a piece of gunstock and disabled his hand. He fell back a mile with the battery, the men being in good order, but separated from the others.

As he could be of no use, he came into camp by order, supposing the company would arrive all right, but it seems they afterward became entangled and were forced to fight in the situation described by Saunders. Being too weak to cope with the foe, it was a total rout of the force.

We want a man here who can meet the fighting Indians. It is altogether a different method of warfare from what regular troops are accustomed to. We want here 2,000 volunteers at once, with whom to surround this scope of country, and, closing in, kill the last one of these red devils, drive them into the lake and drown them. It cannot be done with less. We can drive them from stronghold to stronghold, but cannot whip them, and in retreating they can destroy or render the small force here ineffective and suffer little loss themselves. Give the commander men enough to work with and the tribe can be exterminated at once; but leave him with few troops, and the latter will be themselves exterminated, and the Modocs remain masters of the situation. Throw away prejudice and send us volunteers, old Indian hunters, who can fight them in their own way. The troops now here cannot do it. They are brave enough, and their officers are as gallant a set of men as ever fought an enemy; but, unfortunately, there are not enough of them, and they fight at a disadvantage. Unused to Indian fighting and the country, the bravest and wisest are at fault and comparatively powerless.

At half-past 3 o'clock this morning the wounded began to reach the camp—that is, those of them who were strong enough to come in unaided. From private Francis Rolla and William McCoy, of Battery K, who have just come in, I learn the sad end of the gallant soldiers. They had been forced back, and fourteen of them were ocenpying a semi-circular nole, fronted by a bluff, behind open ground, and no cover. Col. Wright had, through the fight, shown himself the bravest of the brave, exposing himself to keep his men in good heart, and, wounded in the hip, had with others sought this place of shelter. A few ran away as the balls flew around, but the rest remained. He was soon after shot in the groin, and then, as he was trying to fire his revolver, in the right wrist, then through the breast or bowels. He had buried his watch, previously remarking, "They shan't get this," when he died. The soldiers still staid, protecting the wounded and dead. There were Rolla and McCoy, of Battery K, and Benham, of Company C, here. But a minute before the First Sergeant of Company E tried to bring Capt. Wright a drink of water and got a ball through his thigh, and was left in this place with four Indians rushing at them. From noon they remained until dark—7 p. m. About 3 or 4 p. m. an Indian crept up to the edge of the place and called out in English, "Say, you fellows who ain't killed or wounded, had better go home. We don't want to kill you sir." Then he threw some rocks in order to stir them up. Receiving no answer he retreated, and then another crawled up to the edge of the bluff, saying to those who were behind him, "Sh-h-h-h."

He was within four feet of Rolla, who snapped Wright's pistol at his head, but it missed fire. Benham sprang up, and with his gun knocked over another, with the words, "You——of b——s, I've got you now," while the only one of the others wounded who had his gun fired also, and the Indians left them. It is thought three Modocs were killed there, but this is uncertain. They were burning dead bodies, and our troops supposed it to be those of our men who had fallen into their hands.

At dusk, Rolla and McCoy left Benham, who was shot through both arms, and made their way to camp, crawling most of the way. Rolla carrying McCoy. Rolla was shot through the right thigh and left calf and right arm, all flesh wounds. McCoy was shot in the groin and hand. They reached here safely, losing Benham. From their account I gather that the attack at first was but a feint by a few. The firing commenced on three sides, just to keep the soldiers busy until the trap was set. The fourteen Indians then endeavoring to flank the troops had another object; for, when the troops fell back to the bluffs behind them for a place of safety, they found them occupied by the Modocs, who poured in on them a murderous fire in that little, unsheltered glade. There is no question but some of the men behaved very badly, escaping as best they could, leaving their comrades to protect the wounded and dead, while they cared only for themselves. At the first fire, John Lynch fell wounded, and was left to the enemy, so sudden was the onslaught.

In the Right Company B, Twelfth Infantry, Col. Wright, had the skirmish line, which accounts in a measure for his being thus separated. The line ahead was in the shape of a V, point ahead, with flankers as ears, and the reserve being close behind. I learn that when they were attacked they were all sitting down chatting.

Sergt. Charles R. Thornhill, of Battery K, Fourth Artillery, who went out to attend the wounded early in the morning, returned at 2 o'clock this afternoon. On the way he found a Modoc, whom he shot and killed. A Warm Spring Indian scalped the dead warrior, making four scalps in all taken in this fight.

I saw a big fire in the Modoc camp to-day, and it is burning now. I fear Lieut. Cranston, wounded and helpless, is lying there. If so, God pity him, for these fiends incarnate have none. Still we wait sadly for the last and most accurate news amid this cold and pitiless rain, almost alone, and with our dead—not ours yet, for we have not got them from the bloody field, though we expect them every minute. Ours is a sad camp to-night, and every man's hand grows strong, as we think only of vengeance.

When the command fell back to the bluffs they expected to find them held by the men who had fled, but they found only Modocs there, who poured in on them a merciless fire.

I do not lay this blame to all the men, but to the false-hearted of these comands who fled at the first fire. It does not attach to those who stayed through all that dreadful scene. The guide, Mr. Ticknor, escaped, and fell in with Warm Spring Indians. They expected to meet our troops at the Long Cave, but missing them they followed on, arriving just in time to take part in the closing scene. But such was the demoralization of our troops that though the Warm Spring Indians had a bugler with them and tried to make an advance to help our men, they were supposed to be Modocs and were fired upon. Finally, they had to give up in despair, and wait for night to close in to give them a chance to render assistance. Well, that is all I can say of the day, and now for the result.

Along, cold night has passed, during which a blinding snow-storm filled the air. A fire was kept burning on Signal Rock to guide our troops in with the dead and wounded, but they did not get in until about 6 o'clock this morning. All night the storm raged, and through the darkness the soldiers toiled over the rocks, getting in the living and burying the dead. Part of the soldiers were buried on the battle-ground, having been horribly mutilated.

A citizen named Lewis Webber, who was in charge of the stretchers, was also killed, making in all, out of the party of sixty-four, seventeen killed, seventeen wounded, and five missing, which is the same as dead; or a total of twenty-two killed and seventeen wounded, not including Assistant Surgeon B. Semig, who is wounded in two places. The battle-field presented a horrible sight. In one hole, thirteen dead and wounded were found; seven in another, where they had huddled together like sheep, and were all slain or wounded. It was a total rout, caused by the defection of a few men on the start. The panic threw everything into disorder.

A courier from Col. Mendenhall announces that his command, 120 men, was at Burgetsville, two and one-half miles from Fort Crook, in Pit River Valley, on the 24th. The Modoc women and children had arrived, and were scattered among the Pit River Indians. On the 17th or 18th inst., a band of squaws were observed leaving the lava-bed loaded for a journey. They were the advance guard of the train which conveyed the women and children to a place of safety. This means war to the knife, and a knife to the hilt fight while a Modoc survives.

From a second dispatch received from Maj. Green to-day, it appears that there are now collected and awaiting conveyance to camp sixteen men killed, including Capt. Thomas and Lieut. A. Howe, Fourth Artillery, and Lieut. Wright, Twelfth Infantry, and eight wounded, including Lieut. Harris, Fourth Artillery. These, added to the number of wounded men above given, show a large percentage of casualties from the small number of men engaged, but it is readily accounted for when one considers that many of the Modocs are armed with the Spencer carbines and breech-loading muskets. Nor is it a single instance only where one Modoc has been known to have in his possession two or more Spencer rifles, thus enabling him to keep up a rapid fire of shots from his natural or artificial breastwork of rock. The surface of the ground in many places is so torn by volcanic action as to leave crevices, and these are adaptable to purposes of either hiding or points of defense.

In several instances, soldiers knowing nothing of the topography of the place, have come unawares on such lissures, and, before they could escape from their position, were confronted by a wily Indian with rifle leveled and finger on trigger. Death, or at least a dangerous wound, is the result, and but too often the redskin escapes by some one of the many paths known only to themselves. As a sample of their cunning, it may be amusing to state that a portion of Batteries A and K, Fourth Artillery, and Company E, Twelfth Infantry, finding themselves in danger of being outflanked, took shelter in a hollow spot affording partial cover. There were some twenty in all. No sooner had they done so than the Indians, who knew and commanded every egress from this cavity, and who at this point numbered twenty-one warriors, detached seven of their number to one side, fourteen remaining on the other, and opened a cross-fire on the poor fellows, who could not show head or hand without an almost certainty of being struck. A very few escaped uninjured; the rest were killed or wounded.

The Lava-Beds.

From the San Francisco Bulletin.

It is said the lava-beds occupied by the Modocs cover an area of a hundred square miles. The peculiar difficulties which they present to the methodical operations of regular troops are well indicated by the following description, which throws new light on the slaughter of April 26:

"The lava-beds are crevices ranging from a few feet to 100 feet in width, and many of them are 100 feet deep. The Indians can travel through all these lava-beds by trails only known to themselves, and stand on bluffs over persons fifty yards beneath and where it would require a long journey to go to them. They can see men coming at a distance of five miles without being visible themselves. They also can permit their pursuers to come within a few feet of the bluff and shoot them down and retire, if necessary, to other similar bluffs. If pressed too closely the Indians can drop into crevices entirely inaccessible to troops, and follow some subterranean passage, with which they are fully acquainted, and gain another ambush from which it would cost ten lives to dislodge them. It is represented that the Modocs can shoot from the tops of cliffs without exposing an inch of their persons."

Yet difficult as this rough region is for military operations, we question if it is much more so than the Verde country, in Arizona, where Crook has lately been so successful against the more numerous Apaches. If the difficulties are greater, then all the more reason for opposing the Modocs with a strategy resembling their own. Gen. Gillem should be authorized to form a body of experienced Indian fighters, who are numerous enough among the Western frontiersmen, and would readily go into the service. A company of sharpshooters, every man looking out for himself in battle, would soon lead the army to victory.

Reminiscence of a Bridge-Disaster.

From the St. Louis Republican.

A similar accident to the Dixon bridge-disaster occurred, we believe, in 1858, at Albion, Orleans County, N. Y. It was the last day of the County Fair, and thousands of the well-to-do farmers, with their wives and children, were out in their best "get-up," enjoying the holiday. About 4 o'clock in the afternoon, the time adroitly calculated when the people would be "hitching up," and starting for home, a shower of hand-bills were scattered about the fair-grounds announcing that a rope ascension, as it was called, would take place above the Main street bridge, which spans the Erie Canal at that place. These were the days when the mountebank Blondin had set the minds of youth crazy with his exploits of crossing the Niagara River on a rope cable. The excitement and the cheapness of the exhibition hurried the multitude to the locality where it was to take place, and in a very short time the iron bridge, as affording a good point to observe the spectacle, was crowded with vehicles filled with women and children. The two wagon tracks were thus occupied, and, besides, the track for foot passengers on the upper side was packed with human beings. Not only every available space on the floor of the bridge was thus packed, but the iron frame-work, braces, and cross-piece above were occupied by men who were perched on any point where a bird could find a foothold. Just above the bridge was seen a rope extending across the canal, with a heavy sag from its weight and with both ends fastened to buildings on either side of the big ditch. Presently a young man dressed like an ape emerged with a long balancing-pole from the second-story window of a low tavern, and began to walk along his rope, when, without a note of warning, the bridge, with its freight of men, women, and children, and horses, pitched into the canal. The result was that eighteen dead bodies, some of little girls, and two or three old men, were taken out of the muddy waters and laid in a row along the tow-path. Many were rescued, some with broken arms and legs, and others with broken ribs. A young lady from a Western city had her body cut in two by a piece of iron while standing, as did many others, on the tow-path under the bridge. The raking for bodies continued all late in the night. The miserable harlequin who was the cause which led to the catastrophe, sprang from his rope as soon as the accident occurred, and he was never seen afterward in that vicinity. Had he been caught by exasperated crowd would have given him a little exercise on his rope different from that announced in the programme. The next morning an order from the Canal Commissioners allowed the water to be drawn from the canal, with a view of more readily finding any bodies that might still be missing. When the water was lowered down to within three or four feet of the bottom, a crowd of men were organized, who, with locked arms, extending from one side of the canal to the other, waded abreast down a mile or so, leaving no part of the bottom but was thoroughly examined in this way. A few rods below the bridge a woman's body was brought up out of the mire, but no more bodies were found, as the current was too sluggish to transport them a great distance below the wreck, as was the case in the Dixon disaster.

THE LINCOLN MONUMENT.

Letter from a Member of the Association.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In your issue of the 22d you say, "From the account of a late visitor it appears that the Lincoln Monument, at Springfield, is in a most deplorable condition. The monument, in its design, is well known as an outrage on good taste," etc.

Whether the monument is in good taste or not is a question about which men may differ. It is built after the design of Mr. Mead, and it is well known that a very large majority of those who visit it think it to be in very good taste. As to the taste of its design, no just or fair criticism can be made in the present condition of the monument. The design contemplates a statue of Mr. Lincoln and four groups of statuary; and, until the monument is ornamented with these, we think any criticism on the taste of the design premature. The statement that "the monument is in a most deplorable condition" is not true, and denied.

The monument may be divided into three parts. First, the shaft, the chief part of it; 16 feet at its base, its foundation 18 feet beneath the surface, and firmly built on concrete 8 feet, in lieu of solid blocks of stone. No one has ever questioned the proper construction of this shaft from foundation to apex. Second, the four pedestals, one at each corner of the shaft, and on which the four groups of statuary are to be placed. These pedestals each stand upon a foundation of its own and separate, and a part of that of the shaft. The proper construction of these pedestals, like that of the shaft, has never been, and cannot with propriety be, questioned. Third, the terrace,

IN SUMATRA.

Atchinese Struggle—Bold of Action.

London Times, April 22.

...ient in modern col...nial history on the East Indian Archipelago...able force of Europeans has now held in check, by the ...e. The Island of Sumatra ...t in the possession of the ...emains at least two native ...rn and northeastern por...

That in the north is the Atchin. On the 26th of last ...rmally declared war against ...on the 12th of April they ...meeting with some success. ...ured two Atchinese earth...anning an advance on the ...n then, however, they seem ...ask more formidable than ..., as they were said to have ...is for reinforcements. Five ...ounced that they had suf...fer capturing some small ...d attempted to storm the ...Atchinese, and they were re...g was "most desperate," ...e, and the General in com...h forces was killed. "Cra...to be the name of this chief ...e provided with artillery of ...be occupied by a numerous ...is a desperate defense; and ...garrison only that the Dutch ...the fortress they were as...y numerous bands, and they ...h military and naval rein...have since been obliged to ...terprise altogether for the ...ouncil of war held in ..., it was unanimously ...the losses they had sus...on was untenable, and it ...pend the expedition till the ...ipal reason assigned for this ..., is the approach of the mon...wind might interrupt for ...ication with the shore, and ...sible to convey supplies to ...t can be done for the present ...blockade of the coast. The ...e, have for the moment ...victory. Their enemy is not ... compelled to withdraw. It ...ange that the Dutch should ...miscalculated their powers. ...chin, indeed, is not much ... One of the last and best ...that "it was formerly a ...but is now nearly extinct." ...ese first reached Sumatra, in ...e territory around Atchin ...King, and were prevented ...in the neighborhood. The ...fortunate a hundred years ...eived by the King or Sultan, ...assadors accompanied them ...his kingdom, in short, has ...e since Sumatra has been ...tch, one would think, should ...quainted with its resources. ...ie, and, according to these ...ople have found means ...selves of powerful artil...es of Sumatra are chiefly ...in the northern part of the ...are described as a finer race ...ese. They are taller, stouter, ...plexion than the rest, and are ...considerable infusion of Hin...are Mahomedans of a some...

It is not a little remark...hus comparatively unutilized ...ed so severe a check on a Eu... Dutch have gradually ex...d in Island by taking ad...nds of petty chiefs, and the ...have conducted their prep...ratory cunning to have ...surprised their adversaries. ...are can be but one ...struggle. The Atchinese may ...till the autumn, though the ...oasts of their strength, ...may retaliate upon the Dutch ...e interior. But when danger ...e is over and autumn arrives, ...ment will not fail to have ...iently large force to insure ...stance must be crushed. It ...witness, without melancholy, ...les of native resistance against ...force of European powers. ...story, whatever the par... of disproportion, whether ...mi-civilized Maylays or wild ...they inflict their revenge from ...hey are sternly overpowered ...e not yet informed what was ...arrel between the Dutch and ...hin; but it may easily be ...Malays view the power of the ...ling suspicion, and that occa...e only too ready to hand. The ...ave generally dealt with their ...which is not well calculated to ...lousies. Atchin, indeed, was ...y of theirs; but its relation ...ly to be materially affected ...ding respecting them in the ...ave not hitherto shown much ...pt the only policy which can ...position. The Dutch colonies ...ense of the word, been colo... have been established and ... wholly for the sake of the ...be derived from them for the

Y-MURDER.

Boy, Only Nine Years ...ed Dead in the Woods ...ar...r, Pa.—A Companion, ...fteen, Charged with ... Murder.

Pittsburgh Post, May 5.

...rning a tragedy was developed ...County that bids fair to eclipse ...ystery the recent Saltsburg ...s that George Shaum, a bright, ...ing with his parents at Mcc... about thirteen miles from ... was called from his play ...nd dispatched by his mother to ...early a mile distant, to pur... and to procure some medicine ...er, who was sick. ...The family thought ...nd alive. The family thought ...appearance until late at night. ...they went to the neighbors to ...him. The only word they got ...me of the neighbor's boys, who ...een Georgie on his way home ...an altarcation with Timothy ...'s boys. ...came and yet Georgie was not ...oon two boys by the name of ...ing through the woods near ...last seen, when their attention ...the unusual appearance of a ...mp of leaves in the forks of ...at once, with boys' natural cu...ed to investigate the con...ump. To their horror they ...ttom of the leafy covering ...of Georgie Shaum. ...ble appearance. The face was ...e bites. The skull was broken ...and the body was very badly ...s at once gave the alarm, and ...re attracted to the spot. The ...moved to the house and the ...vered to the parents. An in... once instituted. Indications ...ered of where the murderer ...o dig a grave in which to bury ...the partially-made grave was ...e, a medicine which young ...d purchased the day before. ...Timothy Bacon, a lad only ...the boy last seen with the ...Constable of the township, ...me of the neighbors, went to ...n's step-father, and found the ...eking in the barn near the ...oon was arrested as the old ...oon natural to one of his years. ...t very quietly, and, when ...harge upon which he was ar...it vehemently. When taken ...of the Peace, John Fassold, ...ted in his innocence, until the ...m that his denials were use... seen with Shaum in an altercation ...nd that he had been seen to ...cknowledged striking young ...because he would not give ...had just purchased. This ac...was regarded as enough by the ...the prisoner was remanded to ...ul for further examination. ...arance of the dead body, it ...t young Shaum was beaten to ...tle," a little hickory stick, half ...b. ...mes lacking that are necessary ...d these are being followed up ...ly.

...neration of public men in this ...nother! In looking over the ...e United States Senatorships, ...s, in 1845, which stood 27 for ...iscover that there is but one ...d he is William Allen, of Ohio ...ir.

THE COURTS.

A Saloon-Keeper's Bondsmen Sued by a Drunkard's Wife.

Important Railway Decisions---Tom White Gets a Supersedeas.

Bankruptcy and Criminal Items---The Courts in Brief.

In the Superior Court, W. H. Sessions, advocate, has filed a precipe on behalf of the People ex rel. Charlotte Falloon v. James Harris, John Lomas, and Michael Evans, from whom she seeks to obtain $3,000 for the ruination of her husband. The short of the story is, that Harris is a saloon-keeper, dispensing liquors at No. 249 West Kinzie street, and John Lomas and Michael Evans are his sureties. Charlotte's husband, she alleges, has been, through the seduction of Harris' saloon been brought from the high estate of a well-to-do bricklayer to the degraded condition of a common drunkard, squandering all the money he can succeed in obtaining, treating his wife and children in a brutal manner, and, one by one, removing all articles of pawnable value from the house. So low has Falloon sunk that even Banyon, the other day, fined a saloon-keeper $25 for selling him one drink. With a view of making the saloon-keeper who has fattened on the cause of her husband's degradation make her some faint reparation, she has brought the present action, trusting that in the following excerpt from the License act may be found the ground for relief from the saloon-keeper's oppression:

> No person shall be granted a license to sell or give away intoxicating liquors without first giving a bond, * * * which shall run in the name of the people of the State of Illinois, and be in the penal sum of $3,000, conditioned that they will pay all damages to any person or persons which may be inflicted upon them, either in person or property or means of support.

There are held in this city some 3,000 licenses, each of which is issued upon a $3,000 bond, signed by two good securities, so that for wives who suffer from the vagaries of drunken husbands, whose peculiarities are traceable to saloon-keepers' wiles, there is laid up a neat little fund of $9,000,000 from which to recover consolatory damages.

SUPERSEDEAS GRANTED IN TOM WHITE CASE.

In the case of Thomas White, who was sentenced to one year in the Penitentiary by a "polled" jury, which had the evening before found him innocent, the prisoner's counsel, Mr. Felker, has succeeded in obtaining from Judge McAllister a writ of supersedeas. The points upon which it is hoped to set aside the second-thought verdict of the variable jury are, that the verdict of the jury which they brought in in the first place, of not guilty, is the true one; that the jury had no right to render any other; and that the Court erred in allowing the State's Attorney to poll the jury and in sending them back to reconsider their verdict after they had separated and gone to their homes; that the jury did not find the value of the property alleged to have been stolen. This last point is, perhaps, the most serious of the lot, as it is essential in a verdict in a trial for larceny for the jury to specify the value of the stolen goods. The present case had so many features of a burglary in it that the error into which the jury fell was a very natural one.

INTERESTING RAILWAY DECISIONS.

In the case of Josiah Bissell v. The Chicago & Michigan Lake Shore Railroad Company, the jury found for plaintiff with $414.55 damages, with the special finding that there was not a special contract precisely like either of the special contracts set out in plaintiff's declaration. During the trial, the Judge decided upon two points which will be very interesting to both railroad companies and their customers. One was, that a company having made a contract to transport freight, is bound to deliver it, and cannot make an extra charge for unloading it from the cars, and if they compel the consignee to pay such charge he can recover it.

Also, that when a railroad company has made a contract to carry a quantity of freight at a certain rate, and subsequently charge a higher rate, and refuse to carry at the rate contracted for, the party can recover damages, not only for the freight actually carried, but for the whole freight which the company contracted to carry. The verdict of the jury displeased both parties to the suit, and each moved for a new trial.

HOW THE DRINKS COUNT UP.

Martin Jones v. Jacob Phillip Neidhoffer was the first case in Judge Roger's Court yesterday morning, in' which plaintiff brought to recover on plea of assumpsit the sum of $1,200, alleged balance of a current account. Said account was produced in Court, a formidable 40-page document, recording the various purchases made by plaintiff from defendant. These were all of edibles and drinkables. The first item in the account was "6 dozen of rolls, 48 cents," entered on the 12th of September, 1870; the last, "1 Rye, 8 cents," on the 8th October, 1871. During these 13 months the number of "ryes" consumed by defendant, according to the account, amounted to some 2,460, which at 8 cents apiece, wholesale prices evidently being allowed, foots up $196.80. Of rolls, the account showed a consumption of some 1,840 dozen, footing up in value $147.20; of toast, 736 dozen slices, value, $73.60; pies, cakes of the cream and coffee kind, made up the balance of the account. All the circumstances being carefully weighed by the jury, they found for plaintiff, and assessed the damages to be paid by the thirsty and voracious defendant at $838.40.

WHO OWNED THE FURNITURE?

Charles E. Ferguson brings suit in the Circuit Court against Pina Hallett, Julia O'Rourke, several other female defendants, Martin Best, H. B. Galpin, and Calvin De Wolf, complainant avers that on the 15th of February one William R. Hinsdale, who was possessed of certain furniture at No. 16 and 18 Eldridge court, on which were held two chattel mortgages, sold the same to complainant subject to said liens; that the mortgages were foreclosed on the 4th of April, 1873, when complainant authorized one Galpin to dispose of the balance of the effects remaining after sale to pay said mortgages, which Galpin did along with one Martin Best, getting therefor $279.43; that Galpin and Best, or one of them, hold such proceeds of the sale and decline to give them to complainant; that a number of female defendants brought suit in Calvin De Wolf's Court against Pina Hallett, who was previously in temporary possession of said effects, and got judgments against her amounting to about $600; that Galpin and Best were summoned as garnishees in said suits and judgments were rendered against them; that they decline to pay complainant the money, stating they do not know to whom it belongs; therefore, to clear up the matter, complainant asks that the defendants may be summoned and examined in a court of equity.

BANKRUPTCY MATTERS.

In the matter of Ferdinand S. Winslow, a bankrupt, on the petition of Robert E. Jenkins, Assignee, he was ordered to sell a family carriage and buggy belonging to the estate for $1,325 cash.

In the matter of H. E. Hibbard, a bankrupt, on the petition of R. E. Jenkins, Assignee, the Court ordered an injunction to issue, restraining one John Howard from collecting from the Fidelity Savings Bank a sum of $1,200, which he received from said bankrupt, subsequently to his filing a petition in bankruptcy, and deposited in that bank, and to restrain the bank from allowing the money to be withdrawn. The $1,200 was part of $1,600 received by the bankrupt from George P. Gore & Co., on the 20th of November, 1872.

CRIMINAL COURT ITEMS.

In the case of People ex rel. Lewis v. Waite, in which relator sues for the School Trusteeship of Hyde Park, the Court issued a rule ordering defendant to show cause why an information should not be filed returnable on the 17th May, 1873.

Michael Scanell, who was convicted on Tuesday, was sentenced by Judge Tree yesterday morning.

John Baker pleaded guilty to stealing twenty-four pairs of shoes from the Michigan Southern Railroad, and was sent to jail for fifteen days.

A nolle prosequi was entered in the case of George Schlatz, who was impleaded with Beker.

James E. Coe was tried on a charge of selling mortgaged property, and found not guilty.

Eli Montgomery and Charles B. Wilson bring an action in assumpsit against W. N. Brewer to recover $3,500 for commissions on the sale of the premises Nos. 11, 13, 15, and 17 South Canal street, sold for $120,000 by authority of defendant.

JUDGE PORTER'S COURT—HEAVY DEFAULTS.

In the case of Harding v. the Globe Insurance Company in Judge Porter's Court, the demurrer of defendant to plaintiff's amendment of the second count of the declaration was sustained.

The following cases went by default in Judge Porter's Court, viz.: Strauss v. Hawson, damages $164.75; Dane v. Stewart, damages $113.30; Oppenheimer v. Townsend, damages $168.40; Dane v. Marshall, damages $64.20; Fuller v. Peabody, damages $164.20; Wittells v. Gillespie, damages $3,834.53; Ludington v. Peterson, damages $237.10; Weber v. Hess, damages $650.16; Harrison v. A. L. Insurance Company, damages $2,198.65; Johnson v. Pahlman, damages $186.91; Hoover v. Blatherwick, damages $1,012.18; Stricker v. Stricker & Co., damages $2,333.33; Byrne v. Filkins, damages $267.20; Knowles v. Adams, damages $935.79; Coul v. Pratt, damages $376.52; Fitzgerald v. Baker; damages $1,422.26.

THE COURTS CONDENSED.

A Mrs. Reinhart, who, together with her husband, keeps a saloon next door to the West Side police station, appeared in Judge Rogers' Court yesterday, to prosecute one I. Haisch, in an action to recover damages for slander. Haisch, in an evil moment, allowed his temper to get the better of him and called Mrs. Reinhart a name which never failed to excite the lasting ire of a respectable woman. Reinhart advised his spouse to resort to the law for satisfaction, rather than seek it in the vigor of his right arm, and the consequence was, that Haisch expiated his offense yesterday morning by receiving at the hands of the jury an advance verdict, carrying damages against him for $500.

Frederick Nelson, administrator of the estate of L. J. Larson, brings suit in the Superior Court against the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada, in a plea of trespass on the case, to recover the amount of $5,000 damages for the loss of his son, while on his way from Gottenberg, Sweden, to Chicago. As is not uncommon on the Grand Trunk, a collision occurred between a freight and an emigrant train, by which young Larson lost his life. Stephen H. Brown is managing the case for plaintiff.

In the case of Barker v. Pyke, a partnership wrangle, which has been dragging its slow and uninteresting length along in Judge Farwell's Court, His Honor referred the cause to Grant Goodrich, Master in Chancery, to take proofs, and to state an account between the parties litigant, and that lack of the partners render to the Master an account under oath, and that they also, if required, attend before him to be examined as witnesses, or be cross-examined as to such account, all necessary books to be produced.

In the Superior Court, E. J. Dodge et al. bring action against J. C. Short, in assumpsit, for $1,000.

George J. Gilbert et al. bring a suit against James Heunersheets and A. P. Clingman, on a confession of judgment of $5,007.85.

John W. Dean files a bill in chancery in the Circuit Court against Thomas M. and Julia Dean for the partition of Lot 26 in Sec. 6, 7, 38, N. R. 14 E. of 3 P. M.

Joseph S. Tuckey sues Charles French, in the Circuit Court, in assumpsit, for $1,000.

Franklin S. Idell files a precipe in the Circuit Court against J. C. McCord, for trespass on the case; damages, $1,000.

Charles B. Wilson and Eli Montgomery bring suit, in assumpsit, against W. W. Bruner for $3,500 damages.

James Mitchell files in the Circuit Court a precipe, in assumpsit, against John L. Shrogle for $1,000.

Anna Thede sues Christina Loscher in the Circuit Court, in assumpsit; damages, $3,000.

In the Circuit Court, Gavins Olsen sues Michael McGinn for trespass on the case; damages, $5,000.

John McCaffery sues the Chicago Paving Company, in the Circuit Court, on a confession of judgment of $3,070.

NEW SUITS.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.—43,803—The People of the State of Illinois v. James Harris, John Lomas, and Michael Evans; debt, $3,000. 43,804—E. J. Dodge et al. v. J. C. Short; assumpsit, $1,000. 43,805—George J. Gilbert et al. v. James Heunersheets and A. P. Clingman; confession of judgment, $5,007.36. 43,806—Frederick Nelson, administrator of the estate of Lars J. Larson, v. The Grand Trunk Railroad Company; trespass on the case, $5,000. 43,807—The Chicago Water and Gas Pipe Company v. The Western News Company; debt, $613.15. 43,808—A. P. Van Teryl v. J. F. Forsyth and Williams; assumpsit, $500.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.—6,838—Sarah E. Connily v. J. E. Gross; bill for injunction. 6,840—John W. Dean v. Thomas M. and Julia Dean; petition for partition of Lot 5, of subdivision of Lot 26, in Sec. 15, T. 38 N. R., 14 E. of 3 P. M. 6,841—Charles Wenthe and Charles Moessinger v. John Myers; petition to supply record. 6,842—Joseph S. Tuckey v. Charles French; assumpsit, $1,000. 6,843—Charles E. Ferguson v. Pina Hallett, Julia Slatz, Mary Darves, Mary Henley, Mary Bourk, Julia Monahan, Martin Best, H. B. Galpin, and Calvin DeWolf; bill. 6,844—Delos W. Eldred v. Lot C. Whitford; confession of judgment, $160. 6,845—Franklin S. Idell v. S. J. McCord; trespass on the case, $1,000. 6,846—William Barnett v. Charles D. Whylen; assumpsit, $15. 6,847—Lot C. Whitford for use of Delos W. Eldred v. James Allen; affidavit for garnishee process. 6,848—Charles B. Wilson and Eli Montgomery v. W. W. Bruner; assumpsit, $3,500. 6,849—James Mitchell v. John L. Shrode; assumpsit, $1,000. 6,850—Anna Thede v. Christians Loscher; assumpsit, $3,000. 6,851—Gavins Olsen v. Michael McGinn; trespass on the case, $5,000. 6,852—John McCaffery v. Chicago Paving Company; confession of judgment, $3,070.

AT LAST.

The Days of Mike McDonald's Immunity from Arrest Ended---His Den Raided and the Proprietor Arrested by Captain Lull.

Sergt. Lull, who is Acting-Captain of the Union Street Station until French's successor has been confirmed by the Common Council, has already commenced war upon the gamblers. Knowing their haunts and their habits, he quietly raided one of the dens of the notorious Mike McDonald yesterday afternoon. The squad of men detailed to make the raid found themselves opposed by double-locked doors, which the occupants of the room declined to open when called upon to do so. That amounted to nothing, for the doors were soon broken open, and Mike McDonald and a large number of his friends captured. There were not enough policemen to guard each man separately, and each officer had to look after two gamblers. McDonald, when he found himself at last under arrest, after successfully buying immunity from this humiliation for more than five years, was desperate, and, as the officer in charge led him and a companion to the station, suddenly broke away and ran. The officer hastily thrust his other charge into the hands of a citizen, and pursued the flying gambler down Madison street, where the fugitive sought refuge in Whyland's restaurant. The officer caught him, and, to make sure of him this time, slipped a convenient pair of "come-along" over his wrist, and thus dragged him, doubly humiliated, to the police station, where the successful rogue was locked up in a cell for safety. The remainder of the crowd soon found themselves in similar quarters, and blaspheme their Creator and all they knew when they found themselves in the station-house. It will be an excellent thing for the fraternity if they have daily cause of a similar nature to indulge in profanity. St. Louis is an excellent town for gamblers. The only trouble about it is that it is too near Chicago. However, as the gamblers are going to "run Washburn out in three months," they might just remove there for change of air until the "three months" are out. They will never return if they do.

THE WAY TO DO IT.

One of the most effective ways of breaking up the gambling-houses is to arrest those suave fellows who act in the capacity of decoys, and whose business it is to rope-in the inexperienced and unsuspecting. Gamblers do not live off of each other. If they did they would not often be molested, for they would speedily ruin themselves. Their profits arise from greenies, who are decoyed into their dens by the ropers who loiter about the hotels and other public places seeking whom they may devour. Superintendent Washburn seems to appreciate this fact, and has commenced a war, which, he says, shall be a war of extermination upon the wretches. Although six have only been arrested so far, yet they have already begun to migrate from the city. On Tuesday night five of these vultures, among the number "California Joe," a notorious bunko man, left town for parts unknown. Yesterday morning three well-known "guys," Frank Fisk, James Lewis, and Frank Searls, were fined $100 each by Justice Scully. Fisk, fortunately, could not pay his fine, and was sent to the Bridewell. Lewis begged off, promising that he would at once leave town. Justice Scully limited his stay in Chicago to 6 o'clock last evening. Searls took an appeal, a dodge he has frequently resorted to. He will be rearrested at once, and that punishment repeated till he leaves the city. And this is the way the gamblers are driving Mr. Washburn out of town.

Delinquent City Taxes.

CITY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, ROOM 1, CITY HALL, CHICAGO, May 6, 1873.—The Common Council having fixed the date at which the delinquent lists for city taxes of 1872 are to be returned to the County Collector for judgment and sale at the 20th day of this month, it will be necessary to close this office a few days previous, for the purpose of completing said lists, which are unusually large this year. Tax-payers wishing to save costs should avail themselves of the short time left to pay.

GEORGE VON HOLTEN, City Collector.

Englishmen, Take Notice.

Roast beef, with Yorkshire pudding, cooked in the old English style; also, English plum-pudding, for dinner to-day, at Schlosser's famous Hotel Restaurant, Nos. 145 and 147 Madison street.

THE LAST SQUEAK.

The Personal Liberty League Falls to Pieces.

It Follows the Example of the Temperance Bureau.

Report of Its Death by the Executive Committee.

An effort was made to get a meeting of the Personal Liberty League, yesterday afternoon, at Orpheus Hall, but either on account of the weather, or, as was suggested by one of those present, since the League was regarded as inefficient and useless, there was no quorum present, and no business was done, that being postponed to a meeting to be held some time next week. A report which had been prepared by the Executive Committee was read, though not acted upon. The report is substantially as follows:

April 20, 1872, the League had 1,415 members; May, 1870, it had 1,011, 404 having withdrawn. Of these, 538 never paid anything, 154 paid for four months, 271 for six, 119 for seven, sixty-nine for eight, fifty-four for nine, ten for ten, and one for twelve. There seemed to be an impression that thousands of dollars had been paid in monthly dues, and it often was asked where the money had gone to. If the 538 delinquents had paid up for ten months, $5,380 would have been received; if all the other members had paid for ten full months the League would have been richer by $8,870. In fact, only $4,600 had been collected since the organization of the League. If all had paid, the officers of the League would have been able to exercise some power and influence, but the negligence of the members in that respect had weakened if not neutralized their efforts. The League had defended twenty-one suits through its attorney, which cost about $2,000. Printing, office rent, salaries, campaign expenses, cost of collecting dues, etc., also consumed much money.

The Saloon-Keepers' Union could draw a very profitable lesson from the League,—that is, that energy and perseverance were never to be expected from the members of this Association; that mistrust and lack of harmony would soon reveal themselves, and that an organization which had for its object the open defiance of an existing law, owing to the heavy expenses to which the members would necessarily be put, contained within itself, even at the moment of its birth, the seeds of speedy decay. Since their whole existence, perhaps, depended on the result of the November election, the formation of new organizations in addition to the year-old Liberty League, was merely weakening the latter, and giving over victory to the Temperance people.

The Executive Committee regrets to state that many of the brewers and wholesale dealers, who ought to protect the saloon-keepers who really act as their agents, have withdrawn from the Association. The names are as follows: Conrad & Co., Asherman & Co., Buchman & Schmidt, F. Binz, W. Batterman, Bruce & Co., Val. Blatz, Cavanaugh & Bodle, John Clark & Co., William Dodge, Evans & Hickey, Esmay, Simmons & Co., Franz Falk, J. Freiber, Fortune Brothers, Grommes & Fraenkel, Hubacek & Co., Junker & Lenzen, Karglder & Co., Kraeft, Koelle & Co., Laporte & Funk, Lill & Morse, Northwestern Distilling Company, Platner & Co., M. M. Smith & Brother, Th. Spengle, Schmidt & Glade, and Renne Brothers.

In spite of this diminution in numbers, the League is determined, if only three or four hundred are left, to remain in existence till fall, to try whether it is not able to break down that infamous ring of Temperancelars, and win back for all citizens that personal freedom which is secured to them by the Constitution of the United States, and is only occasionally stolen from the slumbering people by a little clique. A general meeting of the active members of the League must be held hereafter to fix the conditions on which members who have once withdrawn, can be readmitted. That this regaining of personal liberty, and the throwing off of an oppressive and unjust rule, which a contemptible minority of fanatics had imposed on the people, cannot be obtained through dissensions, weakheartedness, selfishness, and unwillingness to make little sacrifices, but only by firm union, and it was therefore the first duty of the Committee, to warn the members that not merely saloon-keepers, and least of all the German saloon-keepers, could gain the sympathy and help of all law-loving citizens, by open disregard and violations of an existing law, but they must hold firm to the principles of the League, and thus assure the more general favor of the public.

It had been charged that the League did nothing for its members. They must remember that it was organized to defend its members from the State Temperance law, and at a time when nothing had been said of enforcing the Sunday Liquor law, and consequently did not enter into consideration. Afterwards it was resolved at a general meeting that an assessment of $10 should be imposed on each member to pay fines imposed for keeping open Sunday, but that action was afterwards rescinded. Certainly the officers were not to blame. The reconsideration was undoubtedly wise, as many believed if they paid, even irregularly, they had secured immunity against open violation of the law. But the League was founded on the law, and there it must stand. Perhaps they might have done something if they had all kept their saloons open at the outset, and thereby given the Mayor effectual support at the time the temperance people were assailing him. They had postponed the favorable movement by not being united. Were they united now, after the ill manner in which they had been treated? They were not, and would not be till absolute necessity forced them to it. What they had brought on themselves by their lack of harmony or inactivity at the last election, they must now endure with patience. That was all they could do, and the new Verein could not help them. They should stand together, strengthen the League, and so work for it that all interested in personal liberty might join hands with them, in order, with power, courage, and persistence, to fight victoriously against the common enemy.

The Committee concludes by urging the members to strengthen the League, and prepare in earnest for the great and serious contest in November. The League had made preparations for it, as far as possible, and had joined the State League, which covered all Illinois, of which the President of the Chicago organization, Mr. Aronheimer, was Vice-President.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

A solid brick business block is rising on the west side of Market street, at Lake street bridge.

The work of repaving Clark street is progressing with rapidity, and the car tracks are being relaid at grade.

The *Times*, yesterday, gave a life-like illustration of Healy Slough by its special artist. Until this feat, everybody believed Healy Slough was without a *parallel*. The cut shows it has one.

State street, from Adams southward, on the west side of the street, is springing up into brick balloon structures unworthy that choice locality, but made necessary by the fact that the real estate is tied up for minor heirs.

For the consideration of $120,000, Hamilton M. Walrath yesterday transferred to Messrs. Dore, Bowen & Bass, a lot 200 by 100 feet, situate at the southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Jackson street.

The Board of Public Works yesterday issued the following building permits: A. Schthebanbert, two-story brick building, 51x60, on Mitchell street; T. A. Jackson, three-story stone, 66x70, No. 581 State street.

Jailor Folis will give the following citizens of Chicago an excursion to Joliet this morning: Baldy Sheffer, 2 years; George Sanders, James Wilson, Theo. Acontius, Ed. Costello, and Stephen Scanlon, 1 year; Chas. Watson, Thos. McDermot, Chas. Edwards, 3 years.

Thomas Welsh, on Tuesday night, most brutally beat his wife Katherine. She complained to Sergt. Hood, who promptly arrested Thomas, and Justice Banyon yesterday morning sent him to the Bridewell, because he could not pay a fine of $100.

Work on the Lake Front Park is progressing, and it is receiving a vast amount of filling material from the streets. Mount Carter is to be leveled, and the whole surface smoothed. The lake and mountain style of lay-out has been given up.

Theodore West, while walking along LaSalle street, near the northwest corner of Adams, fell a victim to the carelessness of some coal-heaver or other ignorant person, who had left a coal-hole uncovered. He fell into the trap and was very seriously injured, internally as well as externally. He was taken to his home, and is being attended by a physician, who thinks his recovery possible in a few days.

Mr. Boyington will have the plan of the Lake Shore Exposition Building in readiness for Monday next. It will be of iron and glass, and an highly ornamental structure, to occupy the lake front from Monroe to Van Buren street, setting back twenty-five feet from Michigan avenue.

If the gentle organ-grinder who serenaded THE TRIBUNE office last evening only knew that the child of Sunny Italy, and the maimed gentleman in decayed uniform can earn $10 a day in St. Louis, how soon he would obtain a pass over the Alton & St. Louis line.

At a late hour on Tuesday night the body of an unknown man was found in the North Branch, near the North Chicago Rolling-Mills. It had evidently been in the water a long time, and was so decayed as to be unrecognizable. It was taken to the Morgue, and the Coroner notified.

The horse community were startled, on Tuesday night, by the spectacle of two steeds lying in a moribund condition on Michigan avenue, one at Harrison, the other at Fourteenth street. The epizoot, it is said, has left many animals subject to sudden death from exposure or overwork.

About noon yesterday, a man named August Cleuny fell from a scaffold, at the northeast corner of Clark and Illinois street, and was badly injured. His left arm and leg were fractured in several places. He was taken to his home, No. 11 Mohawk street, and attended by Doctors Parke and Case.

The Christian Union Lyceum is a consolidation of two literary societies belonging to the Union. The members of the new Society will meet at No. 114 Madison street, this evening, to elect officers and transact other business. A full attendance of members of both the old organizations is desired.

The Presbyterian Church at Maywood, just completed, will be dedicated this evening at 7:45 o'clock, several Chicago clergymen officiating. Friends in the city can reach Maywood by taking the 5:30 or 6:30 train from the Wells street depot, and return at 10 o'clock by a special train.

The *Evening Mail* moved its editorial rooms yesterday from the West Side to No. 115 Fifth avenue, and this morning the counting-room will follow. The *Mail* is now on an even footing with the *Journal* so far as locality is concerned, and as its reading matter is more sprightly, its news more reliable, its tone more healthy, is nobody's organ, and is far more enterprising, as successful a future is predicted for it as any evening paper deserves. Let its neighbor imitate the rising star of local journalism.

Daniel Barrett, of Laporte, Ind., was struck and killed by the Hyde Park train about 1 o'clock p. m. yesterday, on the track of the Illinois Central Railroad, between South Park and Woodlawn stations. He was walking on the track at the time, and attempted to pass between a freight train going south and the Hyde Park train going north. An inquest was held at the depot at Hyde Park by Justice Horne. No blame attaches to the employes of the train, as they did all they could to prevent the accident. The body lies at Oakwoods Cemetery waiting word from his relatives.

Owing to the bad weather, the gentlemen owning fast horses did not numerously avail themselves of the privilege afforded by the South Park Commissioners—that of driving without restriction every Wednesday afternoon between 4 and 7 o'clock. A few rattling roadsters were on hand, but not enough to make things interesting. The new arrangement promises to become quite popular. It has a remarkable effect upon the horses in increasing their speed. A wag, who drove a span which had never achieved anything below 4:59, thus accosted one of the policemen on duty at the lower end of the boulevard: "Can I drive my team here at a three-minute gait?" "Certainly, sir; certainly; of course you can, today," was the prompt and smiling response of the officer. "Thank you," said the genileman as he tightened up the reins; "I'm glad to know it, for they've never been able to beat five minutes heretofore."

THE TANK EXPLOSION.

The cause of the fatal tank explosion in Schoenemann & Co.'s packing-house, Bridgeport, on Tuesday evening, has not yet been ascertained. A jury of inquest, composed of intelligent business men, was impaneled by the Coroner yesterday, after about two hours' search for the right material, and then the bodies of the victims of the terrible accident were viewed. This occupied the time until after 4 o'clock. It was then too late to transact any further business, and an adjournment was had until half-past 9 o'clock this morning, when the jury will reassemble at the police station on Dearing street and hear the testimony. Several witnesses, among them the City Boiler Inspector, Mr. Sherwin, and Mr. Turner, packers, and other gentlemen who are supposed to know something about boilers, tanks, steam, and such things, have been summoned to appear. Coroner Stephens seems determined to give the matter a thorough examination, and, if possible, fix the responsibility of the disaster where it rightfully belongs.

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HOOLEY'S THEATRE—Randolph street, between Clark and LaSalle. "Risks."

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—Halsted street, between Madison and Monroe. "An Odd Trick."

MYERS' OPERA-HOUSE—Monroe street, between State and Dearborn. The Kitty Blanchard Burlesque Combination. "Bad Dickey."

GLOBE THEATRE—Desplaines street, between Washington and Madison. Engagement of Miss Katie Estelle. "Lucretia Borgia."

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The Chicago Tribune.

Thursday Morning, May 8, 1873.

The few remaining timbers of the hulk of the Atlantic have been blown up. This action brought fourteen more bodies to view, but has not resulted in the recovery of any of the valuable parts of the cargo, which the waters refuse to give up.

The Omaha Bridge Company, which is a lesser Credit Mobilier ring in the Union Pacific Railroad, and which levies tolls of its own on all railroad freight which crosses the Mississippi at Omaha, is said to make $1,000 a day by its extortion.

Superintendent Washburn has prepared an order directing the members of the police force to see that all places where liquor is sold are closed at 11 o'clock, in accordance with law, and to arrest without warrant all persons found violating the ordinance. If the Police Board approve the order, it will go into effect at once.

No improvement has taken place in Louisiana affairs. Kellogg's Metropolitans, sent to St. Martin's Parish to aid the tax-collectors, had an engagement with the Resisters at St. Martinsville, yesterday, in which both cannon and small arms were freely used. Gov. Kellogg was shot at yesterday while driving through the streets of New Orleans, the pistol ball passing through his carriage and barely missing his head.

Canal Commissioner Milne reports that the Inspector of Grain in this city is giving great dissatisfaction to the shippers of grain by the Illinois & Michigan Canal. The receipts of the canal for April are $10,140, which is less than they should have been, and the decrease is attributed to the impositions of the Inspector. He anticipates a further loss to the revenues of the canal, as the grain men threaten to make their shipments by rail.

The Legislature at its late session amended Section 44 of the general law on fees and salaries, by fixing the fees of grand and petit jurors, in counties of the first and second class, at $1.50 per day, and mileage at 5 cents per mile each way. Talesmen are to be paid at the same rate. Jurors in the county court are to be paid 50 cents per day and mileage. In counties of the third class (Cook County) the jurors are to receive $2 per day and 5 cents for mileage each way, mileage to be allowed only once for each term.

The Fifth Annual Insurance Report of the State Auditor shows that Illinois has now in good standing 118 fire and marine companies. They received in cash premiums last year $5,704,861; their losses were $1,477,017; their expenses are estimated at $1,711,458; leaving a net profit of $2,516,385. The Auditor gives a list of 21 insolvent companies, with their indebtedness. He discusses at length the proposal to tax premium receipts as property, and holds that a fair interpretation of the Constitution will not sustain this principle of taxation as sound.

A stuffed eagle surmounting two salt-cellars, a dentist's chair, some Colt's revolvers, three ship's binnacles, and half-a-dozen bottles of muddy Mississippi water, the whole grouped together in elegant profusion, are the symbolical products of American industry on exhibition at Vienna. The mute, inglorious eagle, whose bosom is stuffed and whose throat refuses to utter the defiant scream of the live bird of freedom, is about the most appropriate emblem that could have been chosen to represent the attitude in which our Commissioners—the latest specimens of reformed Civil Service—have placed American industry and American Government before the eyes of the world.

After Stokes was sentenced by Judge Boardman to be hanged Feb. 28, his counsel secured a stay of proceedings, and applied to the Supreme Court of New York for a new trial. This has just been denied after prolonged consideration, and the doomed man, who not unnaturally thinks his own life precious however little he thought of that of his victim, has exhausted all but two of his means of escape. He has still the Court of Appeals and the Executive clemency of Gov. Dix to go to. Foster went this same road before him and found that it led to the gallows. Neither the Court of Appeals nor Gov. Dix are encouraging resorts for so clearly marked a murderer as Stokes.

The Producers' and Consumers' Convention now meeting at New York have chosen as their President the Hon. Josiah Quincy, of Massachusetts, who has made himself prominent in the discussion of the transportation question, and deserves to be remembered, among other things, for his efforts to get cheap rates of daily commutation on the railroads leading out of Boston, so that the workmen of that city might have comfortable and accessible homes. Legislation is the remedy for existing troubles to which the resolutions of the Convention point. Laws are to be obtained from Congress and the State Legislatures to control the charges of existing companies. Additional rail and water ways are also to be got by legislation. Railway officials and representatives of every sort must be excluded from all legislative, executive, and judicial positions, so that the power of the people may no longer be betrayed to their own oppression. A national agitation is to be begun by the formation of State, county, and town associations, acting under a national organization.

The Chicago grain markets were generally higher yesterday, and more active. Mess pork was quiet and unchanged, at $17.20@17.25 cash, and $17.40 seller June. Lard was quiet and a shade firmer, at $8.85@8.90 per 100 lbs cash, and $9.15 seller June. Meats were inactive and unchanged, at 6¾@6¾c for shoulders, 8¼@9c for short ribs, 9@9½c for short clear, and 10@12c for sweet pickled hams. Lake freights were more active and easier, at 9c for wheat to Buffalo. Highwines were in good demand, and ¼c higher, at 88½c per gallon. Flour was firm and less active. Wheat was active and ¾c higher, closing at $1.26¾ seller the month, and $1.27¾ seller June. Corn was active and ¾c higher, closing at 38¾c cash, and 40¾c seller June. Oats were quiet and ¼c higher, closing at 31½c cash, and 33¾c seller June. Rye was in good demand and 1c higher, at 69c. Barley was quiet, but 1c higher, at 75@85c for inferior to good No. 2. Hogs were more active and firmer, at $4.90@5.35. Cattle and sheep were without material change.

Mr. A. M. Craig has accepted the nomination of the Princeton Convention as a candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court, in opposition to Judge Lawrence. His acceptance, after having signed the call for Judge Lawrence, and having once refused to be a candidate, implies that he runs on the platform of the Princeton Convention; and thus for the first time we have the unblushing spectacle of a candidate for Judge of our highest court running as a candidate of certain interests, pledged to a certain class of decisions,—for, if Mr. Craig is not so pledged, he is a cheat and a humbug. We are informed that Mr. Craig has been for many years the local attorney of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad,—a fact that would not militate against his usefulness on the Bench if he were elected in the usual way, as an independent, unpledged, unpartisan jurist. If he allows himself to be elected as an instrument for certain purposes, however, he is as liable to be *for* railroads as *against* them when he takes his seat upon the Bench. There seems to be no political issue made in the election. The *Bureau County Republican* supports Mr. Craig, who is a Democrat, and the Ottawa *Free-Trader* supports Judge Lawrence, who is a Republican. This is entirely proper, for, although Mr. Craig was identified with that class of Democrats who were denominated Copperheads during the War, his qualifications for a Judgeship are neither greater nor less in consequence of any opinions he held then. The true issue of the contest is whether a man shall be chosen to the Supreme Bench upon a platform prescribing the kind of decisions he shall render, in advance of the hearing of arguments. We do not believe that the people of the Fifth Judicial District will sanction any such damnable doctrine.

In an article a few days ago, upon the case of Phelps, Dodge & Co., we directed attention to the fact that the whole case against that firm was, that, in the importation of $6,000,000 worth of goods annually, certain errors in the invoices had in four years caused a loss of $1,600 of revenue. These errors consisted in the omission from the declared value of the goods of the cost of transporting them from Wales, where they were made, to Liverpool, where they were shipped. This omission occurred in a few out of many thousands of importations. The following is a copy of the infamous provision of the law which governs the valuation of imports in such cases:

And be it further enacted, That in determining the dutiable value of merchandise hereafter imported there shall be added to the cost, or to the actual wholesale price or general market value at the time of exportation in the principal markets of the country from whence the same shall have been imported into the United States, *the cost of transportation, shipment, and transshipment*, with all the expenses incident *from the place of growth, production, or manufacture*, whether by land or water, *to the vessel* in which shipment is made to the United States; the value of the sack, box, or covering of any kind in which such goods are contained; commission at the usual rates, but in no case less than 2½ per centum; brokerage, export duty, and all other actual or usual charges for putting up, preparing, and packing for transportation or shipment. And all charges of a general character incurred in the purchase of a general invoice shall be distributed pro rata among all parts of such invoice; and every part thereof charged with duties based on value shall be advanced according to its proportion, and all wines or other articles paying specific duty by grades shall be graded and pay duty according to the actual value so determined: *Provided*, That all additions made to the entered value of merchandise for charges shall be regarded as part of the actual value of such merchandise, and if such addition shall exceed by 10 per centum the values so declared in the entry, in addition to the duties imposed by law, there shall be levied, collected, and paid a duty of 20 per centum on such value: *Provided*, That the duty shall in no case be assessed upon an amount less than the invoice or entered value.

The practical working of this is as follows: Goods purchased at the place of manufacture in an interior town in any foreign country, for the United States, must be invoiced first at their actual cost. To this must be added the cost of the boxes, bales, glass, crates, or other package in which they may be inclosed; the cartage to the railway station, the sums paid for freight, the cartage to the ship, including storage, if there be any, commission not less than 2½ per cent, brokerage, dockage fees, export duty, and all other expenses attending the shipment. The amount of all this has to be added as part of the value of the goods, and upon the arrival in the United States is charged with the duty of 30, 40, 50, or 60 per cent tax, that is collected upon the goods themselves. In cases, however, where these additional costs exceed 10 per cent of the first cost of the goods, then an additional tax of 20 per cent is levied upon the additional value. The omission of any of these items of expense in the declared value of the goods at the custom-house involves the forfeiture of the whole importation, and subjects the importer to fine and imprisonment. This provision of the law, however, is considered an imperative necessity for the principle of protection.

DEATH OF CHIEF JUSTICE CHASE.

The death of Chief Justice Chase carries the mind back to the inception of the Anti-Slavery movement as a political element in the history of the nation. There were Abolitionists before his time, but it may be fairly said that, when he joined his fortunes to the band of heroic spirits who were resolved to resist at all points the encroachments of the slave power, the political force of the movement began. From that time to the present he has been a conspicuous figure in all public affairs; and, whether as Governor, Senator, Secretary, or Chief Justice, he has on the whole left a clear and shining record. Grant that he was ambitious of the Presidency, and that many of his acts were moulded upon that ambition (an ambition almost inseparable from such stations as he filled), the fact remains that he rendered to his country great and memorable services. Few of our public men have been more highly or more deservedly honored. He has now followed his great compeer and colleague, Seward, to the grave. His name, like that of Mr. Seward, will fill a large space in the history of the nation's most eventful epoch, and, as the petty strifes and bickerings of politics shall drop into their appropriate oblivion, his name will shine with an ever-brightening lustre.

We hope that the President will select the ablest and most distinguished lawyer and jurist in the land to take the now vacant place as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court,—some such man as William M. Evarts, for instance,—and that, in making the selection, no regard will be paid to the paltry considerations of locality or party services.

THE PRESIDENT'S PROGRESS.

Readers of THE TRIBUNE of yesterday may or may not have noticed a suspension of a South Park ordinance "for one day only," which was announced in the advertising columns. In order to give it a wider circulation, we reproduce it in this place:

Notice is hereby given that, by order of the South Park Commission, Sec. 2 of ordinance will not be enforced on Grand Boulevard from the railroad crossing to Fiftieth street, on Wednesday afternoon between the hours of 4 o'clock and 7 o'clock p. m.

The ordinance is as follows: "No person shall ride or drive upon any part of the said Park, or upon any road, roadway, or avenue included within the boundary thereof, at a rate of speed exceeding eight miles an hour."

(Signed) WM. M. BERRY, Supt. S. P. C.

This notice applies only to Grand Boulevard, and only for the day named. The ordinance will be enforced as usual on all other boulevards.

The above will only become intelligible when it is remembered that the President of the United States has honored Chicago with a visit. The process of suspending a useful and necessary ordinance, prohibiting fast driving in a crowded thoroughfare, was one of the methods adopted to entertain the distinguished visitor with his favorite amusement of horse-racing. The "spring meetings" not having opened yet, and the regular trotting parks being in bad condition, owing to the backwardness of the season, the Grand Boulevard was transformed into a race-course for the occasion, and an advertisement was inserted in the newspapers to inform the community of the fact, in order that persons who desired to walk or drive on it during those hours must do so at their own risk. The circumstance is certainly worthy of the attention of the people, as it would be difficult to find a case among the effete monarchies of Europe where any regular law, enacted for the protection of life and the maintenance of public decorum, has been temporarily suspended for the gratification of a Prince.

Gen. Grant cannot be held strictly responsible for the suspension of an ordinance against fast driving on his account, but his absence from public duty at this time, and his jaunt about the country for pleasure, are matters of concern to the American people. It is not long since he was inaugurated for a second term of four years as the Chief Executive of the nation, with a residence at Washington, and the duty of giving his personal attention to public affairs. Congress had no sooner adjourned, however, than the President prepared to make an extended pleasure-tour throughout the country, terminating at Long Branch for summer repose. The natural inference from this brief statement of Gen. Grant's saunterings is, that the condition of the country is so entirely peaceful, serene, and prosperous that the active services of an Executive may be dispensed with. Certain well-known facts, on the other hand, tend to rebut this inference. One of the States of the Union is just now in a revolutionary condition. The political troubles in Louisiana have actually broken out in civil war. One desperate battle between the two contesting parties was recently fought with an aggregate loss of 93 killed and 72 wounded, and the dispatches of this morning bring the news of a conflict in another parish. The Metropolitan Police, of the City of New Orleans, are being armed and drilled as regular troops, to sustain Mr. Kellogg's cause in other parts of the State, while the people of New Orleans are left without protection for life or property. The thieves, burglars, and roughs have already begun to take advantage of the helpless condition of the New Orleans people to plunder their homes and places of business. In the meantime, it has been brought to the attention of the Grand Jury that the conversion of the Metropolitan Police force into a State army is contrary to the provisions of the Constitution of the United States. The anarchy which reigns in Louisiana is the direct result of the action of the President in sustaining the usurpation of a United States Judge who exceeded his authority in an infamous manner, and in forcing upon the people of Louisiana a Governor whom they did not elect. The revolutionary condition of the State, at once ruinous to commerce and threatening the lives of its citizens, is precisely what the majority of the Committee on Louisiana Affairs—a Committee of Senators acting politically with the Administration—predicted as the result of the President's action in sustaining Kellogg and his bogus Government. Now that the policy is bearing its bloody fruit, the President is roaming about the country attending improvised horse-races, and wending his way, by slow stages, to a watering-place. There is no other circumstance that could so well illustrate General Grant's stolid indifference to his public duties.

The condition of Louisiana is not the only thing that demands immediate, constant, and well-considered attention from the Chief Executive. There is an Indian war on hand, in which fifty or sixty savage Modocs hold an American army at bay, slaughter as many officers and soldiers at every engagement as their whole band numbers, and defy the power of the American nation. There is a national disgrace at Vienna, where the eyes of the civilized world are centered at this moment, and where American Commissioners have brought new disgrace upon their country. There is a scandal in New York City, where a Custom-House Ring has levied blackmail to the tune of $271,023 on a prominent business firm. The Civil Service, which was already odious, has become piratical and dangerous. If the subordinates did nothing more than imitate their Chief by neglecting their duties, the case would not be so bad, but when they become blackmailers and organize raids on private business, there should be somebody in Washington to call them off.

There is another view of the President's absence from his post of duty about which there can scarce be any difference of opinion. Just before the adjournment of the late Congress, a bill was passed which raised the salary of the President from $25,000 to $50,000 a year. This measure received the prompt approval of Gen. Grant, and became a law. He was thus instrumental in doubling his own salary. Whether his motives in signing the bill were purely selfish, or prompted by a conviction that the President should received $50,000 a year for his services, no one but himself can say. It is obvious, however, that the act of doubling his own salary increased his responsibility to the nation for a conscientious devotion of his time and services for which he is paid so munificently. We have had Presidents in the past who worked themselves sick, and even to death, at a compensation of just half what Gen. Grant now receives,—while he travels about the country on pleasure excursions, and leaves the most serious emergencies of the Government to take care of themselves.

OBITUARY.

Chief Justice Chase.

SALMON PORTLAND CHASE, Chief Justice of the United States, died yesterday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. William Hoyt, in New York. The immediate cause of his death was apoplexy.

He was born in Cornish, N. H., Jan. 13, 1808, and had just entered his 66th year. In 1815, his father removed to Keene, N. H. In 1820 when 12 years old, his father being dead, he went to Worthington, O., where he was under the care of his uncle, Philander Chase, Bishop of Ohio. He attended the Cincinnati College for one year, and, returning to New Hampshire, in 1824 entered Dartmouth College, and graduated in 1826. The next winter he opened a private school in Washington City. In 1829 was admitted to the Bar, having read law in the office of Atty-Gen. Wirt. In 1830, he returned to Cincinnati, and has ever since made his home in Ohio. He published in three volumes an edition of the laws of the State, and, gaining a practice, was, in 1834, selected as attorney for the branch of the United States Bank in Cincinnati. In 1837, he acted as counsel for a woman claimed as a fugitive slave, and, in an elaborate argument, maintained that the Fugitive Slave law of 1793 was unconstitutional. In an argument before the Supreme Court of Ohio, he defended J. G. Birney, who was charged with harboring a slave. He became thenceforth identified with the Anti-Slavery party. In 1846, with Mr. Seward, he argued the celebrated Van Zandt case before the Supreme Court of the United States, denying the validity of the laws for the rendition of fugitive slaves. He was counsel in a number of cases involving the same questions. In 1840, he supported Harrison for the Presidency, but, finding nothing congenial in the views of the Tyler Administration, he united in a call in 1841 for an Anti-Slavery Convention at Columbus, Ohio. At this Convention was organized the Liberty party. In 1843, at a National Convention of the party held in Buffalo, among the resolutions offered was one which proposed to treat that clause of the Constitution relating to the rendition of fugitive slaves as "utterly null and void." Mr. Chase opposed this, but it was adopted by the Convention. In 1845, another Liberty Convention was held in Cincinnati, and the address was written by him. In 1848, a Free-Soil Convention was held at Columbus, which called a National Convention at Buffalo. He presided at the Buffalo Convention, and prepared the platform.

At the meeting of the Legislature of Ohio, in January, 1849, he was elected a Senator of the United States by the combined votes of the Democratic and Free-Soil members. He begun his service in the Senate on the 4th of March following. He participated in the Liberty Convention held in Pittsburgh in 1852, and supported the nominees of that Convention. In the Senate, in 1850, he strongly opposed the compromise measures of that year proposed by Mr. Clay, and, by way of amendments, sought to exclude slavery from the Territories. In 1854, he strenuously opposed the Kansas-Nebraska act; prepared an address to the people remonstrating against it, and he continued his opposition to it down to the hour of its passage. He was an able and industrious Senator, supporting by his votes and speeches the general policy of the Democratic party, except on the question of slavery.

In 1855, he retired from the Senate, and that same year was elected Governor of Ohio. In 1857, he was again elected, and closed his second term in January, 1860. On the 4th of March, 1861, he entered Mr. Lincoln's Cabinet as Secretary of the Treasury. This latter office he resigned on the 3d of June, 1864, and on the 6th of December, in the same year, he was appointed by Mr. Lincoln Chief Justice of the United States, to succeed Judge Taney. His services as Secretary of the Treasury during the War were of value to the country. The national credit was lost, and the national existence was imperilled. He had, moreover, to depend on a Congress more patriotic than wise in financial matters. We suppose it is no longer questionable that the policy of making greenbacks legal tenders was against his judgment, and was submitted to rather than approved by him. As Chief Justice, his reputation for ability, dignity, and fearless independence has been increased, and though for a long period denounced by nearly the whole country as a fanatical enemy of the South, as statesman and as Judge he lived to see himself as violently denounced for favoritism to those who had urged the "slaveholders' war." He brought to the Bench an admirable dignity, a frank independence, undoubted personal integrity, and a purpose to do right. As Judge and statesman he held the balance fairly, and shared in no effort to persecute or oppress even those who had been in rebellion. He was in no part of the country more honored than in the Southern States, where, before the War, he was held up to public detestation. As Chief Justice, he presided, in 1868, in the Senate, during the trial of the impeachment of Andrew Johnson. Since his election to the Senate, in 1849, he has been active and conspicuous among the statesmen of the country, and during that whole time has maintained an unblemished character for personal integrity and purity of private life.

In 1860, Mr. Chase was a candidate before the Republican Convention for the nomination of President. He received the third highest number of votes on the first and second ballots, and on the last ballot, when Mr. Lincoln needed but a few votes to be nominated, some of Mr. Chase's friends changed their votes, and gave Mr. Lincoln the required majority. In 1868, it has been said that the sudden nomination of Mr. Seymour by a portion of the Ohio delegation in the National Democratic Convention in New York was the result of an intrigue to prevent the nomination of Mr. Chase by that Convention. The country has had few purer or abler statesmen in modern times than Salmon P. Chase, and his death will leave a vacancy on the Supreme Bench that few men likely to be appointed will fill with equal dignity, impartiality and ability.

NOTES AND OPINION.

All the Administration newspapers express great solicitude for the Democratic party. It *must* live. It *must* reassert itself on the old platform. It *must* adhere to its past. It must not meddle with present or future issues; the Republican party will attend to them. Which reminds "Notes and Opinion" that, after all, the Republican cat is only towing a dead mouse, and is reluctant as yet to confess that it is dead.

—In the good old days of Massachusetts there was a convention there to consider the proposed original Constitution of the United States. The debates of that convention were, years ago, collected and published by the State; and it is found—the question of Congressional pay being before the House—that Mr. Theodore Sedgwick said: "Can a man who has the least respect for the good opinion of his fellow-countrymen go home to his constituents after having robbed them by voting himself an exhorbitant salary?" This was Massachusetts in 1788. "The past, at least, is secure."

—The Cleveland *Herald* is now denouncing the Cleveland Bar Association,—the Bar Association having expressed its want of confidence in the integrity of Judge Charles T. Sherman. The Cleveland *Leader*, however, says:

It will be impossible for Judge Sherman to ignore so temperate and judicial, but at the same time emphatic and decided, an act of condemnation as that pronounced upon his conduct by the attorneys who practice in the Court, with Judge Sherman's own letters and testimony before the public, no effort which he or his friends may make to divert attention from the main issue or shirk responsibility by throwing the onus and odium of the transaction upon any second or third party, can be regarded as more than a miserable shift.

—The Louisville *Courier-Journal*, speaking of Judges Sherman, Durell, and Delahay, on the Bench of the United States Court, says:

It was while contemplating the sacredness and importance of such a trust that Chief Justice Marshall said that he knew of no greater curse which an angry Heaven could inflict upon a shining people than that of a corrupt judiciary.

—Mr. Burchard waits to pocket the money (it is as good as there already), with a professed feeling that the services rendered are worth it. Is Daddy Cain, of North Carolina, worth to his country $7,500 a year as a Congressman? Is even Mr. Burchard?

—The Cincinnati *Commercial* says: "Neither Thurman nor Sherman took the back pay." This makes the number forty-three. Now let Treasurer Spinner be heard from.

—Indianapolis has elected a Democratic Mayor, after a hotly-contested canvass,—Indianapolis, the home of Morton, and the giver of 1,786 majority for Grant, last year. That nothing might be lacking, the Indianapolis *Journal*, on the morning of election-day, put itself on record thus:

Indianapolis has the name of being a live Republican city; let her once be placed in the category of Democratic cities, and it will be long before she will get rid of the stigma. It will have an effect on city, county, and State politics for years to come.

—The Democrats also carry Lafayette, Laporte, and Richmond, besides other cities of Indiana heretofore Republican.

—Roscoe Conkling's Utica (N. Y.) *Herald*, the same that reviles the Farmers' Movement, is nevertheless forced to say:

The difference between the charges of a railroad company that corrupts funds and managed by corrupt officials, and what ought to be the charges of a company whose stock represents only real value and whose affairs are honestly and honorably managed, is a matter of great importance as well as of absorbing interest. The determination of this question may hinge our future system of inland transportation—for, if railroad transportation can be made the most economical as well as expeditious, it would be folly to expend large sums of money in developing water routes.

—Charles Sumner, to the extent of $4,444.60, casts on the late Hon. Samuel Shellabarger "the odium of being a thief."

—All the Texas Congressmen voted for increased pay, and so much dissatisfaction has been expressed, even in Texas, that Messrs. Hancock, Herndon, and Giddings, who were already re-elected, are very busy in their common defense, and perceptibly in hot water. Mr. Hancock has been heard before the Legislature, and the verdict at Austin is, that it is a "steal." Mr. Herndon addresses his constituents, and the best he can say is this:

In the South, and especially in Texas, candidates bear the entire expense, which is unknown North. In the election of 1871, Mr. Hancock spent $5,300, gold; Giddings, $4,000, gold; Conner, $3,000, gold; and my constituents know that I paid my full share. In 1872, the same bills were duplicated. How much, think you, we have made so far? If my constituents paid all these bills, as they do in many States North, $3,000 per annum would be a better compensation than we now get.

To which the Galveston *News* says:

Mr. Herndon has not convinced us that it was a fair and judicious increase of pay. And we object most emphatically to the cost of an election forming any fair element of compensation.

These Texas Congressmen are Democrats, and could not reimburse themselves for the cost of an election out of Federal patronage,—as is the custom, North and South, wherever a friend of the Administration is elected.

—Of Congressman Averill's defense, the St. Paul (Minn.) *Dispatch* says:

The long and the short of the business is, that the people have made up their minds to consider the increase as a grab, and nothing short of a revelation from Heaven will change that belief to the contrary.

—The defenders of the salary grab imagine that they have fairly met and vanquished the objectors to the law when they have shown that previous Congresses have voted increase of pay. The greatest objection to the law is, that it now provides for too great a compensation for a very poor article of work. There are exceptions, of course, but we are quite sure that four-fifths of the members of Congress, who are to receive $7,500 per annum by the new law, cannot earn $5,000 in any of the ordinary avocations of business men. It is said that the increase has become necessary on account of the high price of living in Washington society. The less our Congressmen live among the high-flyers at Washington, the better they will work for their constituents. A man who goes to Congress for the sake of cutting a figure in fashionable society, makes a very poor public servant, and if it now takes $7,500 to pay a man's expenses for residing six months at the National Capitol, the same man or his successor will require $10,000 per annum a few years hence.—*St. Louis Democrat.*

—According to our telegrams of this morning, twenty-seven cases of Congressional conscience have been developed up to date. It is thus apparent that conscience, a disease from whose ravages Congressmen have long enjoyed a total immunity, has at last assumed a form that is well-nigh epidemic. We should say that the infection of Congressmen with conscience is sowing the seeds of diseases where they will do most good. And we cannot resist the impression that the independent press has been the principal morbific agent in this case.—*St. Louis Republican.*

—It is announced, apparently upon authority, that Mr. John Lynch—who is yet to be heard from on the back-pay question—will not be a candidate for the Maine Governorship, this year.—*Springfield Republican.*

—The State of Ohio is to enter the lobby at Washington with $3,000 cash in hand to plead for the payment of the Morgan Raid Claims. The "raid" is to be transferred to Washington. It is a raid upon the Treasury. Morgan's raid was light amusement compared with this.—*Cincinnati Commercial.*

—The problem of reforming our legislation becomes a very grave one. Last year it was correctly assumed by the more desperate politicians that the overwhelming importance of the Presidential contest would make the disorganization of the dominant party impossible, and men who were not the choice of the party for nominations, and who never received a majority of the legal votes of their districts, were allowed to become legislators and to bring reproach upon their constituents. This year no National contest comes between the people and incompetent or disreputable candidates. Never before was a better opportunity offered for the upright citizens of every political persuasion to unite for the election of competent city, Legislative, and State officers.—*Philadelphia Inquirer.*

—There are, happily, a good many citizens still left over in Massachusetts—more perhaps than Butler and his fellow-grabbers have any idea of—who, while differing in politics and voting different tickets on election days, are agreed in holding the good name of the old Commonwealth dear, in honoring those who do her honor, in condemning those who bring her to shame.—*Springfield Republican.*

—One mode of making money with money,—of using large sums of money to force the community into necessities and conditions where it can be pilfered,—is rotten at the core, a breeder of crime and a tempter of men to become rascals. There are 500 cashiers scattered over the country who are to-day doing what the cashier of the Atlantic Bank is accused of and confessed to have done; and not one out of every ten official Treasurers in the country but what is using the funds in his trust for speculative purposes. The people know all this; they see and feel its effects, and yet are slow to recognize it as a crime. Why, then, should they complain when they suffer?—*Harrisburg (Pa.) State Journal.*

—The people are almost unanimous in the belief that Legislatures have a right to interfere in the matter of railway management.—*St. Louis Republican.*

—If anyone doubts the nature of the coming struggle, let him read John A. Coleman's "Fight with a Railroad," and be convinced. Said one of the officials to Mr. C.: "The road has no personal animosity against you, but you represent the public; and the road is determined to make it so terrible for the public to fight it, right or wrong, that they will stop it." This is the voice of monopoly to the people.—*Letter in St. Louis Democrat.*

PERSONAL.

O. B. Skinner, of Cleveland, is at the Tremont House.

Col. J. B. Price, of New Orleans, is at the Tremont House.

The Hon. John B. Alley, of Boston, is at the Sherman House.

Col. J. J. Storer and wife, Boston, arrived at the Gardner House last evening.

Robert Hoe, the famous printing-press manufacturer, is at the Gardner House, with his family.

John F. Degnon, Auditor of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, is at the Sherman House.

George H. Mumford, Vice-President of the Western Union Telegraph Company, is at the Gardner House.

William Stewart and Campbell B. Herron, prominent railway men from Pittsburgh, are at the Sherman House.

E. Cozzens Smith, President of the Imperial Insurance Company, of London, England, is a the Sherman House.

Henry Kip, General Superintendent of the United States Express Company, arrived at the Tremont House, from Buffalo, yesterday.

Mr. Rodewold, a Director of the Bank of England, is at the Gardner House, with his family. He comes from London, and is accompanied by Gen. John B. Frisbie and family, of Vallejo, Cal., and Dr. Fullerton, of London.

The principal guests at the South Side Briggs House, yesterday were: D. D. W. Carver, Dubuque; Dexter Curtis, Madison; J. V. V. Mescher and J. Mosler, Cincinnati; M. De Bru, Louisville; S. G. Magill, Clinton, Iowa; Frank Aiken, Carlisle, Ind.; J. S. Boardman, New York.

M. L. Sullivant, Ford County, Ill.; W. L. Wadsworth, Atlanta, Ga.; R. S

INSURANCE.

Annual Report of State Auditor Lippincott.

Companies Admitted to Do Business in Illinois the Past Year.

Statement of Business Transacted by Companies Reporting to the Auditor.

List of Insolvent Companies, and Their Financial Condition.

Suggestions on the Subject of Taxing Premium Receipts.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 7.—Gen. Charles E. Lippincott, Auditor of State, has just laid before the Governor his fifth annual insurance report. It is replete with facts which go to show the admirable manner in which he has conducted that important branch of his office. Since his last report, there have been admitted to do business in this State thirty-six fire and fire and marine insurance companies, with a total capital of $12,806,213.02, being $7,236,588.02 more than the aggregate amount of capital heretofore represented by companies which have ceased to do business in the State. The total number now doing business is 118.

A general and comprehensive view of the aggregate business of the four years—1869 to 1872—shows the risks written to amount to $20,488,153,700 and the cash premium receipts during the same time, to amount to $186,980,167.44; the aggregate average premium rate being 91 cents for every $100 of risks written. For 1869 and 1870, the rate is above the average, being 97 cents for 1869, and 94 cents for 1870. For 1871 and 1872, the rate is below the average, being 89 cents for 1871, and 86 cents for 1872. The aggregate average ratio of losses to risks written for the four years is 68 cents on the $100. For 1869 and 1870, the ratio is below the average, being 62 cents for 1869, and 69 cents for 1870. For 1871 and 1872, the ratio is above the average, being 84 cents for 1871, and 70 cents for 1872. The aggregate average ratio of losses is $74.03 for every $100 of cash premium receipts. The ratios of the years 1869 and 1870 are below the average,—that of 1869 being $68.17, and that of 1870 being $62.84. The ratios of the years 1871 and 1872 are above the average,—that of 1871 being $94.43, and that of 1872 being $78.97. The aggregate average ratio of total expenditures to total income shows that for the four years the companies have ended $97.65 for every $100 of cash income. The business of 1869 shows $86.36, and of 1870, $92.60, expended for every $100 received, while the business of 1871 shows $104.74, and of 1872 $103.34, expended for every $100 received. This showing it must be remembered, does not include the very large amount of insurance capital and assets of companies entirely destroyed by the two great fires, which occurred in the last two years, but that it only applies to the companies continuing the business and making reports. The companies reporting have, since their organization, received $484,666,739.39 in premiums, and paid losses to the amount of $201,485,027.48. They have declared cash dividends to the amount of $49,714,-025.89, and stock dividends to the amount of $4,713,-919.47. The present capital stock of the companies amounts to $28,119,850.91. The amount invested by the companies in different States, as security for policy-holders, is $6,725,387.50.

The seven Illinois companies received cash premiums amounting to $6,861,000.67. They incurred $150,-974.29 loss. Estimating expenses at $196,320.99, leaves them a net profit of $309,774.58.

The ninety-five joint stock companies of other States received $4,012,048.59 cash premiums. They incurred $1,260,150.60 losses, and have expended as at $1,303,614.99, leaves them a net profit of $1,713,071.68. Of these companies, two show a net loss of $1,847.91, while ninety-three have a net profit of $1,714,919.59.

The six mutual companies received $1,125,607.26 cash premiums. They incurred $87,694.87 losses. Estimating expenses at $91,413.03, leaves them a net profit of $1,25,607.26. Of these companies, one has a net loss of $6,343.86, while five have a net profit of $1,331,951.14.

The eight Illinois branches of foreign companies received $598,972.09 cash premiums. They incurred $129,541.57 losses. Estimating expenses at $179,661.63, leaves them a net profit of $289,769.09.

The two foreign companies received $126,360.78 cash premiums. They incurred $11,444.66 losses. Estimating expenses at $38,508.23, leaves them a net profit of $76,407.89.

The grand aggregate figures of the 118 companies show $20,704,661.36 cash premiums received. They incurred $1,477,017.45 losses. Estimating expenses at $1,713,456.81, leaves them a net profit of $3,516,385.10. Three of the companies show a net loss of $1,931,946.18. While 115 companies show a net profit of $2,524,578.87, leaving the net profit on the business of all the companies at $3,516,388.10, as before stated.

INSOLVENT COMPANIES.

The following is a list of insolvent companies:

The Aurora Fire Insurance Company, of Aurora, Ill., L. D. Brady, Assignee, has paid 25 per cent of its entire indebtedness, and is now about to obtain its discharge from bankruptcy.

The Bloomington Fire Insurance Company, of Bloomington, Ill., which retired from business Jan. 1, 1871, after having reinsured its risks in the Merchants' Fire Insurance Company of Chicago, have settled all claims against it at 66 cents on the dollar.

The Chicago Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago, J. K. Hackley, Assignee, has not yet made a dividend, but will probably pay 10 per cent in all.

The Chicago Firemen's Insurance Company, of Chicago, O. H. Horton, Assignee, has made two dividends,—one of 5 per cent and the other of 1.70 per cent., and will shortly obtain its discharge.

The Commercial Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago, Robert E. Jenkins, Assignee, has made no dividend. This Company will probably pay, in all, 3 per cent.

The Equitable Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago, James Long, Assignee, has, as yet, paid no dividend, but will probably pay from 4 to 5 per cent.

The Garden City Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago, which reinsured its risks in the Commercial, of Chicago, has had no Assignee appointed. As yet the Company has paid no dividend, but will probably pay some 10 per cent of the claims against it.

The Germania Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago. William Vocke, Assignee, has made two dividends,—one of 2 and one of 1¾ per cent. This Company will probably pay from 3 to 5 per cent additional.

The Great Western Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago, C. W. Upton, Assignee, has paid no dividend. Suits have been commenced against the stockholders, and it is probable the Company will pay about 50 per cent of all claims.

The Home Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago, Thomas, Buckley, Assignee, has divided 2 per cent, and will probably divide from 3 to 5 per cent additional.

The Knickerbocker Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago, is not in bankruptcy, and has paid nothing, but should be made to pay in full.

The Lamar Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago, George Chandler, Receiver, should pay all claims in full. The affairs of this Company were placed in the hands of a Receiver, date not known. A report, as required by law, has been called for, but, as yet, it has not been furnished.

The Lumberman's Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago, T. C. Hoag, Assignee, paid 5 per cent before going into bankruptcy, and will pay 30 to 40 per cent additional.

The Merchants' Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago, William E. Bollo, Assignee, has paid two dividends; one of 4 per cent and one of 2½ per cent of its claims. It will probably pay 2 per cent additional.

The Mutual Security Fire Company, of Chicago, Mark Kimball, Assignee, has paid 7 per cent, and will pay from 7 to 10 per cent additional.

The Reaper City Fire Insurance Company, of Rockford, Ill., reinsured in the Republic Fire, of Chicago, before the fire." The Republic will pay the losses of the Reaper City in full.

The Republic Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago, J. B. Payson, Assignee, has paid over 70 per cent of its indebtedness, and will pay its losses in full. This Company has already paid over $2,500,000.

The State Fire Insurance Company, of Chicago, Norman C. Perkins, Assignee, will pay in full all who have not settled their claims.

I have lately been advised that the Winnebatch Fire Insurance Company, of Freeport, Ill., (name of assignee not ascertained) has some $3,000 to pay some $175,000 indebtedness. I cannot rely upon the above information furnished in regard to said Company, and would advise others to place no reliance upon the statement.

In the case of the Illinois Mutual Insurance Company, of Alton, Ill., a petition for a decree in bankruptcy was filed in the United States District Court for Southern Illinois, on the 7th of October, 1872. No adjudication—case continued. This is the third petition in the case of this Company, a decree in either of the former two having been refused by the Court. I have endeavored to ascertain the probable amount which this Company should pay, but have failed to obtain the information.

The Sangamo Insurance Company, of Springfield, reinsured its risk in the Merchants', of Chicago. The Merchants' will probably pay 8 per cent of its losses. No proceedings have been commenced against the Sangamo, so far as I am advised. It should pay all its liabilities in full.

STATEMENTS OF FOREIGN COMPANIES.

The attention of the General Assembly is respectfully yet earnestly requested to the requirement of the act of March 11, 1869, in regard to the time fixed for foreign insurance companies to make their annual statements. It reads as follows:

SEC. —. * * * Foreign insurance companies shall be required to make and file their annual statements and evidences on the first day of January in each year, or within thirty days thereafter, made out for the year ending on the preceding 30th of September. The aforesaid annual catalogue of their business and affairs to the United States, duly verified and certified to by the resident manager of such company, shall be filed in the month of January of each year, made out for the year ending on the 31st day of December immediately preceding.

At the date of this report but one single foreign company has complied with the requirements of making annual statement for the year ending 30th September, 1872.* The Western Assurance Company, of Toronto, Canada, has made its annual statement the same as companies of the United States, for the year ending December 31, 1872. This being three months later information in regard to the business and affairs of the company than required by law, it was accepted and filed, as well as preferred, to a statement for the year ending Sept. 30, preceding.

The representatives of British companies in this country claim that it is not practicable for their home offices to comply with the requirement of the Illinois law, owing to the impossibility of said companies obtaining returns from their agencies in various foreign Governments, in which they are doing business, in time to make a statement of their business and affairs in four months from the 30th September. I suggest that the 30th of June be substituted in the law in the place of 30th of September, or, probably better, that the 31st of December be so substituted,—the statements to be filed on or before the 1st of July following. If to the latter date, any such foreign company not having a branch office in this country, or whose statement could not be filed by the 31st January, should be required to have the condition and business of its several agencies in the United States reported to some one of its agencies, for the year ending Dec. 31, such agency being required to make and file a statement thereof on or before the 31st of January following.

Unless some such change is made by the general Assembly, this Department will, with considerable reluctance, feel in duty bound to enforce the law as it now stands. It may be well to say to you and the General Assembly, that the probable result of this action will be the retirement from our State of nearly all, if not all of the English companies, unless they should conclude to furnish statements of their business, as presented by their books on the 30th of September. A question that involves the probable loss to our citizens of facilities for insurance with a class of companies in which they have undoubted confidence, is worthy of serious consideration by the General Assembly.

Securities are now held in this department for the protection of policyholders, for companies, and in amounts as follows:

Name of Company.	Location.	Kind of Securities.	For value of stock or mortgage.
Mississippi Valley			
Old Dominion			
Royal			
Western Assurance Co.			
Home			
Home			
Home			
Franklin Fire	West Virginia	Trust deed and mortgage	$100,000
Hamburg-Bremen Fire	Germany	Trust deed	200,000
Home			
Home			
Home		

MONEY AND COMMERCE

MONETARY.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, May 7.

The money markets, both East and West, seem well supplied with loanable funds. In this market, no borrower who is entitled to bank accommodation need go without it, and any one who can produce good collaterals can get money in the street at 10 per cent per annum. In Boston and New York deposits at the banks show a large increase during the last three weeks, and in the latter city money is down to plethora rates. Currency is much more rapidly circulated throughout nearly all parts of the United States than it was three weeks ago when the money markets of Boston and New York were so stringent. Remembering this, and contrasting the easy condition of things now with the condition then, people will regard with a smile the gravity with which the inflationists argued that the stringency was due to a "deficiency of currency."

New York exchange was scarcer to-day, with sales at 25c to 50c per $1,000 discount.

WESTERN CORN FOR THE SOUTH.

For years before the war and ever since, the people of the Southern States have been pre-leased advocates of free trade, and yet it has always been the habit of the Southern newspapers to urge upon the planters the necessity of planting a large area of corn at the expense of the area of cotton, in order to be *independent* of the Northern producers in the West. The folly of this protectionist doctrine, which the people of the South have been blindly practising for so many years, has at length found an assailant in Gov. Smith, of Georgia, who demonstrates, in a letter to the Indianapolis *Journal*, that the annual deficiency in the crop of corn in the South, which has in past years averaged about 50,000,000 bushels, is rapidly increasing, and that if the people of the South follow the mistaken policy of trying to be independent of the West by raising their own corn at the expense of a large portion of their product of cotton, they will have to pay $50,000,000 per annum and upward for the privilege. Gov. Smith shows that to supply the annual deficiency of 50,000,000 bushels of corn would require the cultivation of 5,000,000 acres. The same acreage devoted to cotton culture would produce 1,250,000 bales. Fixing the price of cotton at 15 cents per pound and corn at $1 per bushel, the loss to the South would be $50,000,000 annually.

Turning to the report of the Bureau of Agriculture for the year 1871, we find that the five States of Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, and Arkansas devoted 7,175,000 acres of their best land to the production of corn, and raised on this area an aggregate of 119,660,000 bushels, worth, in those States, an aggregate of $88,231,500. Had one-half of this area been planted in cotton it would have produced at least 1,000,000 bales of cotton, worth at least $70,000,000. Even if a liberal allowance is made for some increase in the cost of corn, in consequence of a smaller home supply in the south, the difference in the value of the two crops to the Southern producer would be $25,000,000. Make still an additional allowance of $10,000,000 for the greater expense of cultivating cotton than corn, on the 3,500,000 acres, and it would leave a net balance of at least $15,000,000 in favor of planting the land in cotton instead of corn. Then the entire corn crop of the five above mentioned Southern States is compared with the 203,000,000 bushels of corn, raised that year in Illinois alone, it ought to convince the people of the Southern States that an additional deficiency of 50,000,000 bushels of corn in the South could be supplied from the enormously-increasing production of Iowa, Illinois, and Indiana, without causing any great rise in the price. The greatest obstacle however to the South supporting itself with cheap corn from the West lies in the exorbitant charges of the railroads for transporting it. Corn can be taken from Cairo to Nashville by steamboats for 12 cents per bushel and pay the carrier a good profit, but from Nashville to Atlanta, Georgia, the rates of freight are such that corn which can be bought, say, in Cairo, for 30 cents per bushel, costs $1.00 per bushel delivered in Atlanta. If Gov. Smith, of Georgia, wants cheap corn in the South, he should commence a crusade against the Nashville & Chattanooga and the Western & Atlantic Railroad Companies, who charge somewhere near 50 cents per bushel for carrying corn a distance of 288 miles from Nashville to Atlanta, and the Southern papers should not only help him, but should cease their advice to Southern planters to plant corn for the sake of being independent of the West.

THE CREDIT MOBILIER SUIT.

As the character of the proposed suit of the United States against the Union Pacific Railroad Company and the Credit Mobilier Company is not generally understood at the time the law of Congress providing for it was passed, we give the following from a Boston paper, which says it will be full in equity with two objects. The first will be to force the Union Pacific shareholders to pay into the treasury of the corporation the par value of the full paid stock as demanded by the charter, but which was issued for far less than its par; the second to force the shareholders of the Credit Mobilier to restore to the Union Pacific their inordinate profits upon their construction contracts, the receipt of which has weakened the security upon the Government loan to the road. It is reported that Caleb Cushing, William M. Evarts, and Benjamin R. Curtis are to be the counsel of the Union Pacific.

LOCAL STOCK AND BOND MARKET.

Messrs. Lunt, Preston & Kean quote as follows this afternoon:

	Buying.	Selling.
7-30s of '71	115¼	115¾
7-30s of '72	115¼	115¾
7-30s of '73, Jan. and July	117	117½
7-30s of '73, Jan. and July	118	118½
7-30s of '73, Jan. and July	119¾	120
10-40s	113½	113¾
U. S. 6s, currency	114½	114¾
Gold and Gold Coupons	116¾	117¼
Gold Exchange		117¾
Northern Pacific Gold 7-30s	108¾	109¼
Chicago City 7s	100	& int.
Cook County 7s	99¾	& int.
Illinois, County and Township 10s	92	95

REAL ESTATE.

The following instruments were filed for record on Wednesday, May 7:

CITY PROPERTY.

Ashland av, bet North av and Blanche st, w f, 25 ft wide, by 125 ft deep; consideration, $1,000.

Calumet av, near s w cor of Twentieth st, e f, 37½x125 ft, dated April 21; consideration, $15,937.

North av, e of and near Bedford st, s f, 24 ft to alley, dated April 11; consideration, $2,250.

Brown st, near s e cor of Wright, w f, Lot 4, with improvements, dated Jan. 11; consideration, $1,795.

West Adams st, s e cor of Wood, n f, 27x140 ft, dated April 28; consideration, $11,000.

Auburn st, near s w cor of Onsida, e f, 25x130 ft, dated May 7; consideration, $1,019.

E ½ of Sub-Lot 8, of Lot 2 in Sill and 204, in Bronson's Addition, dated May 3; consideration, $1,300.

Lot 30, in s e ¼ of Block 72, Sec. 33, 39, 14, dated May 5; consideration, $600.

Rubie st, s of Sixteenth, e f, 24x100 ft, dated Feb. 4; consideration, $1,000.

Ashner st, bet Lock st and Church place, n w f, 22 8-10x100 ft deep, dated May 2; consideration, $2,000.

Pine st, s s e cor Erie st, e f, 49½x145¾ ft, dated April 21; consideration, $15,000.

Lake st, east of and near Dearborn st, s f, 20x80 ft, dated April 30; consideration, $1,000.

West Twelfth st, west s e cor of Paulina st, n f, Lot 30, dated May 8; consideration, $1,000.

Shurtleff av, 25 ft south of Thirty-seventh st, e f, 25x126 ft, dated April 7; consideration, $950.

Western av, 99 ft so of Hirsch st, e f, 25x126 4-10 ft, dated May 7; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 20 and e 22 ft of Lot 27, in Block 2, of s 10 of p 15 acres e ½ of s ½ of s w ¼ Sec. 14, 39, 13, dated May 1; consideration, $800.

Bremer st, s f of and near Oak st, e f, Lot 81, dated April 16; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 31, in Block 2, in Assessor's s ½ of n w ¼ Sec. 9, 39, 13, dated April 2; consideration, $450.

Lots 33 and 34, in Block 1, in Mary Smith's Lot 3 of s ½ s e ¼ Sec. 12, 39, 13, dated March 27; consideration, $2,200.

North av, 75 ft w of Western av, s f, 25x125 ft, dated May 7; consideration, $950.

Keenon st, w of and near Ashland av, s f, 24 ft to alley, dated April 17; consideration, $625.

Fifty-first st, s e cor of Jackson st, w f, 200x100 ft, dated April 30; consideration, $120,000. Hamilton M. Wallrath to Dore, Bowes & Dore.

Ellis av, 39¾ ft n of Thirty-ninth st, w f, 183x186 2-10 ft, with building, dated May 1; consideration, $9,000.

Lot 12, in s e ¼ of Block 27, Sec. 33, 39, 14, dated May 5; consideration, $800.

Lot 56 of Smith's Lots 23 and 24, of Block 8, of Hemphill & Graves' Addition, in n e ¼ of Sec 34, 39, 14, dated April 21; consideration, $1,000.

Lots 26 and 27, in s ½ of Block 6, of w ½ of w ½ Sec. 30, 39, 13, dated Dec. 30, 1872; consideration, $2,100.

Lot 9, in Block 3, Walker's Dock Addition, dated March 3; consideration, $1,200.

NORTH OF CITY LIMITS.

W ½ of Lot 8, in Block 4, of s ½ Sec 20, 40, 14, dated May 6; consideration, $3,000.

Sundry warranty deeds of city property.

Lots 13 to 16, in Block 5 of Lots 3 and 4 of Morris' Subdivision in w ½ of Sec 4, 38, 14, dated April 28; consideration, $3,000.

Lot 15 of Stiles' Lots 21, 20, and 29, Town of Brighton, dated April 28; consideration, $300.

Lot 7, in Block 30, Original Town of Hyde Park, dated April 8; consideration, $3,000.

Lot 58, in Dunsmuir's Addition to Lake View, Sec 6, 40, 14, dated April 12; consideration, $1,000.

Lots 1 and 4 in Division 23, and Lot 1 in Division 24, all in Block 1 of Carr's Consolidation of Kedzie's s ½ of s ½ of Sec 7, 38, 14, dated April 29; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 17, in Block 5 of n ½ rods of n e ¼ Sec 4, 38, 14, dated May 7; consideration, $800.

Lot 72, in Block 3, in same, dated June 3, 1872; consideration, $900.

Lot 39, in Block 2, same, dated May 6; consideration, $900.

Sixteenth st, between Halsted and Roy sts, n f, 1,596 6-10x209 6-10 ft, dated April 1; consideration, $45,000.

Lot 42, in Block 1 of n ½ n w ¼ of s w ¼ Sec 9, 38, 14, dated April 15; consideration, $1,200.

COMMERCIAL.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, May 7.

The following were the receipts and shipments of the leading articles of produce in Chicago during the past twenty-four hours, and for the corresponding date one year ago:

	RECEIPTS.		SHIPMENTS.	
	1873.	1872.	1873.	1872.
Flour, brls	8,000	8,200	12,502	5,138
Wheat, bu	29,820	13,300	206,318	17,382
Corn, bu	50,790	157,120	146,197	112,150
Oats, bu	33,280	17,191	27,783	19,127
Rye, bu	1,435	3,854	5,887	1,455
Barley, bu	2,459	1,759	3,911	6,214
Grass seed, lbs	96,530	107,280	67,668	30,042
Flax seed, lbs	7,000	3,900	6,626	
Broom corn, lbs	9,500	14,000	21,067	
Cured meats, lbs	125,610	396,210	547,025	352,992
Beef, brls		36	69	2
Pork, brls	100		610	1,941
Lard, lbs	19,500	69,660	119,500	56,920
Tallow, lbs	76,650	7,620	25,445	5,000
Butter, lbs	37,900	47,088	2,100	9,850
Dressed hogs, No				
Live hogs, No	8,496	7,616	6,660	5,289
Cattle, No	2,467	1,557	2,354	927
Sheep, No	1,000	405		
Hides, lbs	33,880	136,186	38,060	41,120
Highwines, brls	344	297	304	
Wool, lbs	33,179	32,170	169,299	88,840
Potatoes, bu	10,530	6,283	4,910	3,367
Lumber, m ft	2,077	2,971	2,461	932
Shingles, m	2,000	2,740	1,240	1,335
Lath, m	70	220	207	138
Salt, brls	3,093	5,283	1,360	808

Withdrawn from store yesterday for city consumption: 3,320 bu wheat; 1,254 bu corn; 6,120 bu oats; 1,939 bu rye; 1,911 bu barley.

The following grain has been inspected into store this morning, up to 10 o'clock: 26 cars wheat; 174 cars corn; 6,000 bu No. 2 do, by canal; 23 cars oats; 1 car barley. Total (224 cars), 98,000 bu.

A few of the most demonstrative members of the Board of Trade were quietly informed this morning that they must henceforth behave themselves, or submit to discipline. The notification was not given too soon, and the great majority of the members hope fervently that the rule will be insisted on. It is too bad that men who go there to do business should be annoyed by the antics of half a dozen clowns who have no other way to obtain notice than by making nuisances of themselves.

The Directors should include in the list of their surveillances the members who make it a daily practice to appropriate the desks and chairs supposed to be intended for reporters. That is another nuisance, which is unmitigated even by a polite expression.

The corn arriving by canal is still mostly inspected as rejected, though the only boat-load in to-day was rated as No. 2. But we note that there is no complaint. People are becoming generally satisfied that the Inspectors are doing their duty, and the principal cause for complaint does not seem to be regarded. That is, that a good deal of the corn which arrived here during the winter was inspected as No. 2, though it was really no better than this which is now being passed as rejected. Our inspection of grain has lacked uniformity in the past, but there is hope that this grave defect will have been removed with the end of the grain that was in our bins previous to the late change in Inspection. There is nothing to be gained by letting down grades, and everything to lose by having different standards in different houses. There is no doubt that we had an honest inspection before; but the grain trade now wants an efficient one, which will recall the confidence that Eastern buyers used to have in this market, and justify it in the future. Under an uncertain system of inspection the business of shipping grain falls largely into the hands of the speculative fraternity, who take it out of the way of their option trades, while with a certain system a legitimate shipping business might always be operated on small but sure profits, and thus add to the present selling value of every bushel of grain that is raised in the Northwest.

THE MARKETS.

The leading produce markets were generally somewhat stronger to-day, and some of them were more active, while there was a fair inquiry in all departments, principally of the speculative order. The shipping movement was again rather slow, though a fair outward movement in grain is reported for yesterday. The rain of last evening and the overcast skies of to-day, though not constituting a storm in the ordinary sense of the word, were yet sufficient to cause some anxiety, because they followed a season of much wet, and seemed to indicate a settled policy in the direction of moisture too plentiful this year to be agreeable.

The only new feature of interest noted in connection with the dry goods market was the development of an easier feeling in certain brands of prints, the weakness in some instances amounting to a reduction of a ¼c. Aside from this there was no perceptible softening of prices. The mail orders business continues good, and the distribution was liberal, in the aggregate. Groceries were moving to a moderate extent at substantially former quotations. Sugars and coffees were more active than other articles in the list, and were more firmly held; the tendency in both of those staples being upward. Syrups, molasses, and teas were quoted dull and easy. Rice, soaps, and spices ruled steady. The butter market continues weak and unsettled, but, aside from no decline in roll, the prices were no quotable changes. Low grades are accumulating, but of choice qualities there is no surplus. Bagging was quiet at former rates. Cheese remains in active demand. No changes were noted in the fish, canned goods, or dried fruit markets. Hides were weak and declined a ½c. Oils, paints, leather, and tobacco were unchanged.

The trade in lumber was fair, the quoted prices being generally adhered to. At the wholesale market an improved demand is noticed and a better feeling exists among dealers. Lath on track are easier, now quoted at $2.75@3.00. Metals and tinners' stock were quiet, yesterday's quotations being continued, except for tin plate, which is 50c lower. Sheet iron is also a shade easier. Iron and steel met with the usual demand, at about former rates. Nails were in moderate request and weak at $5.37½ for 10@60d. There was no change in building materials. The inquiry for wool is confined to the immediate necessities of Western manufacturers. Prices are without quotable change. Broom corn was in fair request and steady. Timothy seed was in moderate demand, at $3.40@4.00; clover was dull and nominal; Hungarian and millet met with a fair inquiry at yesterday's prices. Potatoes were unchanged. The demand for green fruits was fair, all choice offerings ruling firm. Poultry was in moderate local request, and eggs were active and firm at 11½@12c.

Highwines were in good demand, and again 2c per brl higher, being in light stock, while the advance in corn tended also to cause a firmer feeling, though New York was unchanged and near the close, when she caught the spirit of our market. Sales were reported of 200 brls at 88½c per gallon, and the market closed strong at that figure.

Lake freights were more active, at a further decline of about 1c per bu on quoted rates to Buffalo, though probably not really weaker than they have been for two or three days past. Wheat to Buffalo by sail was taken at 9c, and corn to do was nominal at 8¼@8½c; while a big vessel was offered for oats at 6c. Wheat to Kingston was offered at 11c, and corn to do at 14c. Through rates to New York are unchanged, at 45c per 100 lbs, and do to Boston at 50c. A total of 48 charters was reported, which will carry out 160,000 bu wheat, 190,000 bu corn, and 10,000 bu rye.

Provisions were quiet, but steadier. Mess pork was in moderate demand, and somewhat stronger than on Change yesterday, though a shade easier than last evening. Lard was in fair request for two or three round lots, and firm at yesterday's quotable quotations.

Meats were inactive and unchanged. The provision trades are now pretty well settled up, and we shall probably see but little done in the corner till after the summer months. The market closed at the following range of prices; Mess pork, cash or seller May, $17.20@17.25; do seller June, $17.40@17.45; do seller July, $17.70@17.75; lard, cash or seller May, $8.85@8.90; do seller June, $9.13½@9.15; do seller July, $9.35@9.40. Sweet pickled hams quoted at 10@12c. Dry salted meats quotable at 6¾@6¾c for shoulders, 6¾@6¾c for short ribs; and 6¾@6¾c for short clear. Boxed shoulders, 6¾@7c. English meats, 9¼@9¾c for shoulders; 9¾@9¾c for short ribs; 9¾@9¾c for short clear. Bacon is quoted 7¾@8c for shoulders, 10¼c for clear ribs, 10½c for short clear, and 12@14½c for hams, all packed. Mess beef, $9.00@9.25; extra mess do, $10.00@10.25; beef hams, $28.00@29.50. City tallow, 7¾@8c; grease quotable at 6¼@6¾c.

Sales were reported of 250 brls mess pork seller May at $17.25; 1,000 brls do seller June at $17.50; 500 brls do seller July at $17.85; 500 brls do at $17.80; 500 brls do at $17.75; 250 brls do at $17.70; 1,250 lbs lard seller June at $9.15; 1,000 lbs do at $9.12½; 50 tcs spring rendered at $8.55.

Flour was in rather light demand, but ruled firm, in sympathy with wheat, and buyers were obliged to pay full prices, though a good many of the sales were again reported on "p. t." A fair export demand was quoted from New York. Bran was active and lower. Sales were reported of 100 brls white winter extras on private terms; 100 brls spring extras at $7.00; 50 brls do at $6.80; 200 brls do at $6.50; 1,600 brls do on private terms; 100 brls spring superfines at $4.15; 100 brls do at $4.10; 100 brls do at $3.25; 100 brls rye flour at $4.40. Total, 2,450 brls. Also 10 tons bran at $11.00, delivered; 80 tons do at $11.00, on track; 10 tons do at $10.50. The following were the quotations at the close:

Fair to choice white winter extras	$10.50 @11.00
Red winter extras	7.00 @ 8.25
Good to choice spring extras	6.00 @ 6.75
Low to medium	4.75 @ 5.75
Minnesotas (inferior)	5.00 @11.00
Good to fancy Minnesota	8.00 @11.00
Spring superfines	3.50 @ 4.00
Rye flour	3.90 @ 4.75
Bran	4.15 @ 4.40
	10.50 @11.00

Wheat was more active than yesterday, and, quite strong, averaging ½c higher under a brisk demand, principally from the speculative element. One operator alone filled in 215,000 bu of shorts for next month, and many others bought in lesser amounts. The weather was again bad and Liverpool and New York were both quoted firmer, with diminished stocks at the latter point; but the principal cause of the increased strength yesterday and to-day seems to be the fact of a liberal export movement, with light receipts. Arrangements have been made this week and last, by one party alone, to ship out half a million bu, which will leave scarcely a million bu of No. 2 in store, and others are shipping out by lake and by rail at a much more rapid rate than the wheat comes in. This made many of the shorts nervous, some being even apprehensive of a corner in wheat, especially as it is believed that the calculations of a cornering party would not be interfered with as they were last year, by the taking in of almost every spring offered, and making it apply on contracts for No. 2. Of course the surmise is an improbable one, but it is not without its weight; and the sharpness of the situation may be judged from the fact that, although there are believed to be a good many shorts out yet for this month, regular No. 2 spring has commanded a premium of ½c over the option for two or three days past. Prices were also strengthened somewhat by a further decline in freights. Seller June opened at $1.27½, declined to $1.27¼, and advanced to $1.28¾, but closed easier at $1.28. Seller the month sold at $1.26@1.26¼, closing at $1.26⅜. Strictly fresh receipts of No. 2 spring closed nominal at $1.27¼. Seller last half sold at $1.26½@1.27¾. No. 3 spring was firm, closing at $1.17; and rejected do was nominal at $1.00. Cash sales were reported of 49,800 bu No. 2 spring at $1.27½; 15,000 bu do at $1.27¾; 72,800 bu do at $1.27¼; 20,000 bu do at $1.27⅞; 27,400 bu do at $1.27¼; 5,000 bu do at $1.26¾; 27,000 bu do at $1.26⅝; 10,000 bu do at $1.26¾; 13,200 bu do at $1.26½; 800 bu No. 3 spring at $1.17¾; 4,800 bu do at $1.17½; 2,800 bu do at $1.17¼; 1,200 bu do at $1.17; 800 bu rejected at $1.00; 400 bu by sample at $1.40; 400 bu do at $1.38; 800 bu do at $1.30. Total, 252,200 bu.

Corn was more active, and averaged fully ½c higher, the greatest appreciation being on cash lots, which were in good shipping demand, while there was a freer buying of fresh receipts for carrying against options. We have a good deal of corn here, but receipts are unusually small for the season, and not much country-owned corn is now offered. It is widely thought that of the corn at country points, as much will be held back as possible, as present prices do not offer much inducement to sell, especially with the increased possibilities of failure on the next crop. Hence the short interest have been free buyers, and as the decline in freights is widening the shipping prospect, there is more of a disposition to invest for future. Seller June opened at 40¾c, declined to 40½c, advanced to 40¾c, and closed at 40¾c. Seller the month or regular No. 2 sold at 38½@38¾c, closing at 38⅝c. Strictly fresh receipts closed with holders at 39½c; seller July sold at 42¼@42⅜c; and seller August at 43¾@44c, closing at 43¾c. Cash sales were reported of 21,400 bu No. 2 at 39¼c; 4,800 bu do at 39¾c; 4,000 bu do at 39½c; 10,000 bu do, regular, at 38⅝c; 30,000 bu do at 38¾c; 10,000 bu do at 38½c; 20,000 bu do at 38¼c; 25,000 bu do at 38¾c; 2,400 bu rejected at 36c; 6,400 bu at 38¾c; 6,000 bu do at 35½c; 4,000 bu do at 35¼c; 2,000 bu do at 35c; 4,800 bu by sample at 38c. Total, 197,000 bu.

Oats were less active, but advanced ½c per bu, in sympathy with other grain, with a good speculative demand at prices which holders would not accept; hence comparatively little trading. Seller the month, or regular, opened at 31¼c, and advanced to 31½c at the close, with no offer of fresh receipts in demand at 31½c. Seller June sold at 33¾@33½c, and seller July at 34¾c. Cash sales were reported of 3,600 bu at 31¾c; 2,400 bu at 31½c; 15,000 bu at 31¼c; 10,000 bu at 31⅜c; 15,000 bu at 31½c; 1,800 bu rejected at 30¾c; 1,200 bu do at 30¼c; 600 bu do at 30c. Total, 49,600 bu.

Rye was in good demand, and ½@1c higher, being in light supply. Sales were reported of 7,000 bu No. 2 at 69¾c, and 400 bu do at 69c.

Barley was quiet, but 1c higher on No. 2, with a correspondingly firmness in other grades, there being very little offered. No. 2 sold at 75@85c; No. 3 was quoted at 63@68c, and rejected at 45@50c; the inside in the Rock Island, and 70c the outside in other houses. Cash sales were: 400 bu No. 2 at 85c; 400 bu do at 75c; 400 bu rejected at 80c; 1,200 bu by sample at 90c; 400 bu do at 80c; 400 bu do at 72c. Total, 3,200 bu.

OUR HARBOR-MASTER.

We publish the following letter, as an act of partial justice to our excellent Harbor-Master; and only regret that it does not give the rights of the story. As we understand it, the difficulty is principally, or altogether, owing to the fact that the Harbor-Master wishes to give all an equal chance, and will not submit to the dictum of two or three lumber-brokers, who want to decide what shall or shall not be offered on the market. Probably if Capt. Steele had ordered a certain boat-load of cedar-posts away about a week ago, so that it would not be offered in competition with the stuff offered by a member of the clique, there would have been none of this trouble:

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: Having seen it stated through the daily papers that efforts were being made to remove our Harbor-Master, Capt. Steele, in which you can spare me room in your paper, to raise my voice against it. Capt. Steele is an old and experienced sailor, a navigator, and understands his duties as Harbor-Master thoroughly. He is known to all Captains trading to this port as a man who *will be obeyed*, and does his level best to leave nothing undone that will advance our river as a navigable stream. The most of trouble on the river is at the Lumberman's Exchange, where the stream is fully two-thirds filled with lumber vessels at certain times. The only way that Capt. Steele prevents great damage to the shipping, is by keeping the channel clear, which way has, unfortunately, provoked the ire of a burly policeman who shrugs and fumes upon the dock. I think it is to be regretted that in making the appointment of Harbor-Master, this policeman was not consulted. What do the cavillers wish? Our river is kept clear, and very little damage is done, when we look at the crowded state of the narrow branches of the river.

BOB STAY.

THE ENGLISH GRAIN SUPPLY.

The Manchester *Examiner*, April 22, has the following:

The bright weather of the past week enabled farmers to make much progress with outdoor work, and, consequently, the supplies of English wheat which market have been limited. Prices have, therefore, shown firmness, being further supported by the comparatively small quantity which was appearing off the coast. Millers have shown no disposition to operate beyond the actual requirements of the moment, relying upon the influence of the fine weather, and of the arrival of the large quantities of wheat now afloat, upon prices. At the same time, wheat of this quality is scarce and is much wanted, while the quotations on the Continent, which have slowly tended upward during the past few months, show no appearance of giving way. On the contrary, it would appear that further shipments will be made to France and Belgium. Prices in France are too high to admit of importations thence at a profit, while it is difficult to see how the trade can be carried on with the Danish and Baltic ports with the very small margin now existing. The bulk of our supplies for the remainder of the season will come from South Russia and America, and especially from California; but there is no doubt that our requirements will be fully and abundantly covered. So far, our imports have consisted during the remainder of the season.

THE CROPS IN FRANCE.

The following details of the state of the crops in France have been received: "The general situation is satisfactory, as the last fortnight of fine weather has been very advantageous, and the labors have been carried on with great activity. The spring sowings have been effected under fair conditions. Everywhere the wheat-shoots present an excellent appearance, both green and close; the colzas also look well in all the country which surrounds Paris—that is to say, within a radius of sixty leagues—the hopes of a good harvest seem likely to be realized. In the south, the repeated inundations have not been too prejudicial, as the pasturages and artificial meadows have largely profited by them, and are in magnificent condition. The trees, also, are blossoming favorably."

LATEST.

In the afternoon wheat was moderately active, and a shade easier, at $1.27¼@1.28¾ seller June, closing at $1.27¾. Seller the month sold at $1.26½@1.26⅝. Corn was quiet and ½c lower, closing at 38¾c cash, and 40⅝c seller June. We note sales of 500 brls mess pork at $17.25; 500 brls do seller June at $17.40, and 2,000 brls do seller July at $17.60. Per lard, seller June, $9.15 was bid. Nothing doing in other produce, or lake freights.

CHICAGO DAILY MARKET.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, May 7.

ALCOHOL—Was in request at an advance of 1c. 94 per cent proof is now quoted at $1.07@1.08.

BROOM CORN—Fair to choice grades were in good demand. Inferior stock was quiet and unchanged. We repeat: No. 1 hurl, 6¼@6½c per lb; No. 1 stock braid, 5@5½c; No. 2 do, 4@4½c; No. 3 do, 3@3½c; inside green, 4@4½c; do red tip, 3@4c; do pale and bright, 2@2½c.

BUTTER—With the exception of a slight reduction in prices of roll butter, which, unless good quality, is almost unsalable at any price, there were no further changes to note. Choice packed butter readily commands the quoted prices, while for something fancy even better figures may be realized. Shippers are taking hold a little more freely, but the principal inquiry is for local consumption; Common to choice dairy, 10@25c; strictly choice dairy, packed, 30@33c; medium to good, 24@28c; inferior to common, 9@23c.

BAGGING—Prices range the same as for a month past. There is only a moderate inquiry for any line of goods, and the market may be quoted quiet and steady, as follows: 2 bales 37c; Ludlow, 35c; Lewiston, 34½c; American, 32½c; Amoskeag, 32½c; Otter Creek, 34c; burlap bags, 4 and 5 bu, 20@22c; gunnies, single, 17@18c; double, 26@29c; wool sacks, 67½c.

BEANS AND PEAS—Beans were in moderate demand on local account. Peas are quiet and unchanged. We quote: Choice hand-picked navies, $2.55@2.60; good do, $2.50@2.45; inferior grades, $1.95@2.00; green peas (in bris), $1.40@1.45; yellow do (in bags) $1.35.

BUILDING MATERIALS—Continue to meet with a moderate inquiry at the annexed prices: Stucco, $2.50 per bbl; New York stucco, casting, $3.75@4.00; supreme do, $3.50@4.00; Portland cement, $7.00@8.00 per brl; Rosendale cement, $3.25@3.50; Louisville, and Akron cement, $2.00 per brl; marble dust, $3.25@3.50; lime in bulk, 90c@$1.00; do (bris), $1.25 per brl; white sand, per brl, $1.75 per 1,000; do, $40.00@60.00; building brick (common), $8.50@9.50 per sewer brick, $12.00@13.00; country brick, $13.00, delivered; St. Louis hydraulic pressed, $45.00; del; Milwaukee pressed, $32.50, del; do, $14.00; Racine pressed, $30.00, del; do common, $14.00; Michigan, $28.00, del; Indiana pressed, $22.00 @24.00; do common, $19.00; fire clay, per brl, $3.00, or $10.00 per ton. The following is the list of prices per box of 50 feet for domestic window glass, from which a reduction of 45 and 5 per cent is made to dealers:

	First quality.	Double strength.
7x10 to 8x10	6.75	9.00
8x14 to 10x15	8.10	12.00
12x18 to 16x20	9.25	16.00
18x22 to 18x30	11.00	19.00
20x26 to 24x30	13.00	21.00
26x30 to 40x60	18.00	45.00

CHEESE—There was very little doing in this market, the demand being almost wholly confined to small lots, just to meet the immediate requirements, and prices for the present must be considered simply nominal. We quote: New York factory, 15@16c; Ohio factory, 13@14c; Western factory, 13@13½c.

COAL—Operations inactive, with prices unchanged. Several cargoes have arrived within the past three days, and lower prices may be looked for soon. Following are the quotations: Lehigh, lump, $12.50 @13.00; prepared, $12.50@13.00; Lackawanna, $12.50 @13.00; Briar Hill, $13.00; Walnut Hill, $10.00; Blossburg, $10.00; Cherry Mine, $9.00; Hocking Valley, $9.00; Indiana cannel coal, $10.00; Indiana Williamsport, $8.00; Kirkland grate, $9.00; Minonk, $8.00; slack, $5.00.

COOPERAGE—There was no change to speak of, the demand from packers is light. Coopers stock is in light supply, and firm. Quotations are given below: Pork barrels, $1.25@1.38; lard tierces, $1.60@1.70; whisky barrels, $1.90@2.00; flour barrels, $60@55c; pork staves, rough, $17.00@20.00; flour staves, $25.00 @28.00; tierce staves, rough, $20.00@25.00; do smooth, $28.00@28.00; whisky staves, rough, $24.00@ 26.00; do, smooth, $30.00@32.00; flour slaves, $9.00@ 11.00; circle flour headings, 7@8c per set; flour hoop poles, $14.00@15.00 per m; pork and tierce poles, $10.00@12.00 per m.

EGGS—Were active and firm, at 11¾@12½c, the former price for loose packages, and the latter for barrels and cases in shipping order. We note sales of 20 brls at 11¾c; 2,500 doz and 215 cases at 12c; 20 brls and 40 boxes at 12½c.

FEATHERS—Genuine live geese feathers are scarce and firm. Other descriptions are unchanged, and are as follows: Prime to choice live geese at 73@75c per pound; fair to good do, 65@70c; good sugar-house syrup, 45@48c; do, 40@45c; New Orleans molasses, choice, 85 @90c; do prime, 75@80c; do common, 65@70c; Porto Rico molasses, choice, 65@65c; common molasses, 33 @40c.

SALERATUS—Common to best, 9@10c.

SPICES—Allspice, 17@18c; cloves, 37@38c; cassia, 20@24c; pepper, 20¾@24½c; nutmegs, $1.25@1.30; ginger, pure, 22@30c; do No. 1, 20@25c; do No. 2, 16 @20c.

SOAP—French mottled, 6¾@6¾c; German mottled, 7¾@8c; Castile, White Russian, 8@8½c; White Lily, 6¾@ 6¾c; White Rose, 6¾@6½c; Brown Windsor, 6¾@ 6¾c; palm, 6@6½c; Savon Imperial, 6¾@6¾c; Bar-ton-Sloss, 9¾@10c; corn, 9@10c; laundry, 6@ 7c; common, 4½@5c.

HAY—No quotable changes took place in this market. Pressed prairie was in good request at very full prices, but aside from this the market showed signs of weakness. We quote wholesale prices paid by dealers, as follows, cars to contain 20,000 lbs: On Track—Timothy, best pressed, $16.00@17.00; timothy, loose pressed, $15.00@15.50; prairie, pressed, $12.00@13.00. On Wagon—Timothy, loose, $16.00@18.00; prairie, loose, $14.00@15.00. Per delivery of pressed, $1.00@ 1.50, according to distance.

HIDES—Were again dull and weak. Eastern buyers are virtually out of the market, and, under circumstances, stocks or prices are still working downward. We reduce quotations 5 c. as follows: Green city butchers', 7c; green cured hides, 6½@7c; do heavy, 10@10½c; part cured, 10@10½c; green calf, 12c; dry calf, 22c; dry kip, 22c; dry salted, 12@13c; dry flint, 20@22c; green salted kip, 11½c; deacon skins, 40@50c; grubby, scored, cut, or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price.

IRON AND STEEL—About the average demand exists, the following being the current rates:

QUOTATIONS.

Horse-shoe iron	6 @ 6 8-10 rates
Plate iron, common tank	6¼ @ 7 rates
Russia iron	20@21c rates
Russia iron, No. 1 stamped	18c ₩ lb
Norway iron	9 @ 9½c ₩ lb
Norway nail rods	9¾ @10c ₩ lb
German plow steel	11 @12c ₩ lb
English cast plow steel	12 @12½c ₩ lb
American tool steel	12 @12½c ₩ lb
Chrome tool steel	15 @16 ₩ lb
English tool steel	21¾ @22 rates
English spring steel	11 @11½c rates

LEATHER—A quiet feeling prevailed in this market, but prices were firmly adhered to, both for domestic and imported stock. Below are the quotations:

City harness	38@ 41
Country harness	35@ 38

Lime city, ₩ lb	41@ 42
Kip, ₩ doz	60@ 1.10
Kip, veals	60@ 1.30
City upper, No. 1, ₩ ft	29@ 30
City upper, No. 2, ₩ ft	25@ 26
Country upper, No. 1	25@ 27
Collar, ₩ ft	20@ 22
Calf, city	90@ 1.00
Calf, country	1.20@ 1.40
Rough upper, standard	1.10@ 1.25
Rough upper, mixed	90@ 95
Rough upper damaged	27@ 30
Buffalo slaughter sole	27@ 30
"B. A." sole	30@ 37
OAK.	
Calf	1.35@ 1.45
Kip	1.00@ 1.10
Harness	28@ 1.10
French calf, Jodot	40@ 45
French calf, Lemoine	85.00@90.00
French calf, 24 to 36 lbs	80.00@80.00
French kip, 80 to 100 lbs	1.05@ 2.80
French kip, 24 to 36 lbs	1.10@ 1.65

BUTTER AND TINNERS' STOCK—The demand continues moderate. Tin plate is 50c lower, and 50x28 $1.00 off. The decline is owing mainly to local competition. Sheet-iron is a trifle easier in other materials are unchanged. We quote:

TIN PLATE—IC, 10x14, $15.50; do, 12x12, $15.50; do, 14x20, $16.00; do, roofing, IC, $14.50; do, 20x28, $30.00.

TIN PLATE—Large, 42c; small,

CITY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—BY T. B. BOYD, 120 WEST WASHINGTON-ST.

$80 per foot—On Wabash-av., 100 feet south of Thirty-eighth-st., 75x175 feet, east front; want all cash down, except $1,200, which is due in one year.

$16,000—50x175 feet, with 9-room 2-story dwelling, good barn, etc., fronting south on Washington and Hoyne-sts.

$8,000—11-room 2-story dwelling, lot 50x150 feet, on Green-st., between Washington and Randolph; $3,000 down; possession to-day.

$5,000—$1,000 down—12-room 2-story new house, lot 25x125, south front, on Van Buren-st., near Hoyne; cash in front.

$2,500—$500 cash, balance on Van Buren-st., near Honore; $800 down, balance 1, 2, 3, 4 years, at 8 per cent.

14-room 2-story and basement brick dwelling, with 20x125 feet lots, on Green-st., near Monroe; want all cash.

$1,800 cash—13-room 2-story dwelling, lease runs 7 years, $100 per year; no assessments or revaluation; on Green-st., near Van Buren; rent for $78 per month.

$200—One cottage, to be moved, on Green and Randolph-sts.

For exchange—$4,000 85-acre farm at Downer's Grove, near depot; want $1,000 cash; 20 miles from city, on C., B. & Q. R. R.

$40 per acre—80 acres in Thornton, near depot.

FOR SALE—BY W. H. PHARE, 143 LASALLE-ST., Major Block, first floor:

2 5-acre blocks fronting Stony Island boulevard and Eighty-second-st.

5 acres fronting boulevard, 1, 2, 3, 4.

80 acres, 1, 27, 12.

80 acres, 2, 37, 14.

4 10-acre blocks, 18, 32, 14.

80 acres, 30, 38, 14.

80 acres, 31, 37, 14.

80 acres, 1, 37, 14.

80 acres, 2, 37, 14.

80 acres, 3, 37, 14.

Lots in Langley-av., between Forty-second and Forty-third-sts.

Lots on Forty-eighth-st. and Kenwood-court.

150 feet on Kenwood-court, between Forty-seventh and Forty-eighth-sts., within one block of Kenwood station.

60x185, Kimbark-av., between Fifty-ninth and Sixty-seventh-sts.

30x160, on Indiana-av., between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth-sts.

Lots on Western-av., near Langton-st.

30 lots on Langton and Marvin-sts., near Western-av.

30 lots on Seeley and Erie-sts., between Reuben and Noble.

66x176 on Michigan-av., with first-class house.

Six lots with 8-story frame house, on Fourth-av., between Harrison and Polk-sts.

10 lots on Egan-av., near Halsted.

80x136 on Halsted-st., between Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth-sts.

Lot on Fifty-fifth-st., Boulevard, near Halsted. BULBURD & CO., 208 LaSalle-st.

FOR SALE—A BIG BARGAIN—23 ACRES AT ENGLEWOOD. HULBURD & CO., 208 LaSalle-st.

FOR SALE AT ENGLEWOOD—CHOICE GROVE property in Englewood, adjoining Wabash and Indiana-avs. HULBURD & CO., 208 LaSalle-st.

FOR SALE—ACRE PROPERTY—PARTIES SEEKing investment will do well to look at an especially good bargain I can offer; G. J. STOUGH, 78 and 74 Dearborn-st., main floor.

FOR SALE—HIGHWOOD—FIRST STATION THIS side Lake Forest; same trains, with more commanding position; commutation, 19 cents. Nine houses, from $4,000 to $6,000; sell on 5 payments down of $175 to $600 yearly, including interest. All of the lots are covered with fine shade and ornamental trees. Nowhere else for more than 2 ask for them in Chicago, no nearer centre of business by horse cars than these are by steam. ASHLEY MARS, 200 LaSalle-st., residence, Highwood.

FOR SALE—AT NORMAL PARK, NEAR THE school and depot, 2 neat, cosy houses, 8 rooms each, bath, room, etc., lots 50x125; cheap and easy terms. T. MAPLE & CO., 95 Clark-st., basement; 150 LaSalle-st.

FOR SALE—9 LOTS AT PARK SIDE, NEAR STATION; trees on them; 50x163; east of Stony Island av.; cheap. Also lots in Ulrich & Bond's subdivision on Seventy-fifth-st. and Stony Island Boulevard; cheap. ULRICH & BOND, 87 Dearborn-st.

FOR SALE—132 LOTS AT SOUTH ENGLEWOOD, 7 miles from City Hall, 2 minutes' walk from depot; prices $250 each. Will sell 4 choice lots for $1,000, balance in 4 equal payments of $250 each, at 7 per cent, with the privilege of paying at any time before maturity in sums of $50 and upwards. Complete abstracts furnished each purchaser. MATSON RULL, Real Estate Office, 108 and 110 Dearborn-st.

FOR SALE—CHOICE RESIDENCE LOTS IN OSborne's Addition to Hawthorn, on C., B. & Q. R. R., only 15 minutes from our office; unsurpassed for beauty of location; gravelled drive-way from the city the entire distance. Will be sold in monthly payments from $200 to $250. JOHN O. OSBORNE, No. 123 East Madison-st., Room 7.

FOR SALE—IN AUSTIN—40 ACRES AT A BARgain. Also 20 acres on Lake-st. on easy terms; the best thing on the market. W. R. WOODBURY, 36 Washington-st., Room 8.

FOR SALE—5 ACRES GOOD DRY LAND, HIGH state of cultivation, 22 miles from Chicago, on Fort Wayne Railroad; 1 hour; price $1,000; terms, $100 per acre, payable $10 per month. Office days, Friday and Monday, 9 to 4. J. HARLE, owner, Room 5, basement 153 Monroe-st.

FOR SALE—20 ACRES ON C., B. & Q. R. R., NEAR Hawthorne; terms on Chicago-av., near Grand-av. J. H. KELLER, 184 South Clark-st.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN—BY GOLDEN & FRESHWATERS, 86 South Clark-st., Room 16:

40 acres in Sec. 11, 39, 13. 40 acres in Sec. 13, 39, 13.
10 acres in Sec. 14, 39, 13. 10 acres in Sec. 15, 39, 13.
6 acres in Sec. 15, 39, 13. 2 acres in Sec. 13, 39, 13.

SUBURBAN REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—BY C. C. THAYER & CO., 180 EAST Madison-st.

WASHINGTON HEIGHTS.

160 acres s w ¼ Sec 12, 37, 13, ridge and grove.
80 acres s w ¼ Sec 24, 37, 13, ridge and grove.
80 acres in Sec 25, 37, 13.
320 acres in Sec 27, 37, 13, ridge and grove.
80 acres in Sec 32, 37, 13.
40 acres in Sec 33, 37, 13, ridge and grove.
40 acres in Sec 29, 37, 13, ridge and grove.
Blocks 4 and 5, in Krueger's subdivision, in n e ¼ of Sec 30, 37, 14.

The above tracts are well located, are in the vicinity of railroads and improvements. They are very desirable, and will be sold at prices and terms that will certainly command the attention of buyers.

FOR SALE—HYDE PARK—COMFORTABLE house, and lot 50x150, near depot and boulevard, $7,500.

Large house and grounds, near lake and depot, 132x200 feet, offered at a bargain.

Five locations, with good house and barn, near lake shore and hotel, 66x150, $10,000.

Fine building lots at Egandale, and near depot, in Hyde Park.

ULRICH & BOND, 87 Dearborn-st.

FOR SALE—GOOD, FULL-SIZED LOTS ON HALsted, Murray, Union, Desplaines, and Wallace-sts., between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth, only 1 block north of the Fairlon parkway, which is to be finished from the park to Halsted-st. this season. These lots must improve greatly in value as soon as the chain of beautiful drives are completed. The lots are for sale at very low prices and on easy terms, monthly payments or otherwise. Will warrant good title, and pay for the legal estate. For particulars apply at 58 Blue Island-av.

FOR SALE—200 ACRES GOOD TIMBER land cost he had cheap near Shawano, Wis., for money, in building or unbroken property, by addressing OWNER, F 2, Tribune office.

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

WANTED—A GOOD IMPROVED FARM WORTH from $12,500 to $15,000, 200 to 300 acres, cheap for burban property round Chicago. LINGLE & DARLOW, 125 Dearborn-st.

WANTED—TO BUY AT A BARGAIN, BRICK house, with 6 or 7 rooms, for the city, within 1 south to Twenty-fifth-st., on Wabash, Michigan, Prairie, or Indiana-avs.; price from $13,000 to $16,000. Apply to W. H. SAMPSON & CO., 144 LaSalle-st., Otis Block.

WANTED—TO BUY A LOT, WITH OR WITHout house, on North Side, north of North-av.; can pay part cash, balance in monthly installments. Address H 57, Tribune office.

WANTED—ONE ACRE OF LAND FOR A RESidence, within an hour's ride of Chicago. Address A 97, Tribune office, stating price and terms, and giving description of property.

WANTED—LOTS! LOTS! LOTS!—WE HAVE A cash customer for good building lots. JACOBS, MAGILL, 81 and 83 South Clark-st.

WANTED—A 5 OR 6-ROOM COTTAGE, ON WEST Side. Address, with lowest price and location, VAN, 180 South Canal-st.

WANTED—ACRES! ACRES! ACRES!—WE HAVE constant inquires for acre property; can make quick sales at good prices. JACOB C. MAGILL, 81 and 83 South Clark-st.

TO EXCHANGE.

TO EXCHANGE—2,400 FEET ON THE BLUFF, AND 1 within 600 feet of Morgan Park, and near the Military School and prospective 1,000 church; within 2½ from depot; streets and trees, etc. Will take a good improved farm.

10 lots at Sixty-first-st., Englewood, for small cottage.

23 lots at South Lynne for improved farm.

100 lots, Forty-seventh-st., 1 block from Boulevard—for good residence.

50 lots southwest of Brighton, and near Boulevard, for improved farm.

All the above are good properties, and will be exchanged at fair prices.

LINGLE & DARLOW, 125 Dearborn-st.

TO EXCHANGE—PROPERTY AT IRVING PARK for good unincumbered lands. A good horse and buggy wanted. D. S. INGHAM, 64 South Desplaines-st.

TO EXCHANGE—5 LOTS ON ADAMS-ST., EAST of Robey, for a brick residence. H. C. MOREY, 71 Clark-st.

TO EXCHANGE—A FINE 7-ACRE TRACT FOR good residence in good location, either West or North Side. Will pay some cash. Address W 7, Tribune office.

TO EXCHANGE—FOR CITY PROPERTY, A FRUIT farm, 120 acres, 11,000 trees; will pay its cost in 3 years; incumbrances assumed upon improved property; price, $14,000. Address Box 1st, South Pass, Ill.

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TO EXCHANGE—WE HAVE SOME DESIRABLE city business property to exchange for a farm or a residence. KERR, DAVISON & WELCH, 143 LaSalle-st.

TO EXCHANGE—HOUSE AND LOT; ALSO 80 acres of nice land; also inside city lots. L. H. WHITNEY, 140 LaSalle-st., basement.

TO EXCHANGE—TWO LOTS ON SOUTH CANAL-st., near Harrison; will exchange for house and lot or good farm within 60 miles of Chicago; also some choice lots on Sixty-first-st., between Halsted and Racine-sts. L. A. GILBERT & CO., 206 LaSalle-st.

WANTED—TO TRADE FOR A STOCK OF DRY goods, notions, clothing, furnishing goods, boots and shoes, and groceries, 160 acres, 1 mile from Marion, Ill., all under a good state of cultivation, near market and railroad—one farm of 115 acres, one of 304 acres, and one of 353 acres. Also a fine tower clock running and 3 lots in the City of Peoria, Ill., with all modern improvements. The titles are perfect. All worth $50,000 cash. Will trade part or all. Address Box 1445, Peoria, Ill., City.

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FOR SALE—A FEW SINGER AND GROVER & Baker high family sewing machines in complete order, at half cost. 338 Indiana-st., between Rush and Pine.

GROVER & BAKER'S SEWING-MACHINES—GEneral office, 170 State-st.; branch office, 971 Wabash-av. Persons having old Grover & Baker sewing-machines are invited to call and see the new improvements, and hear something to their advantage.

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FOUND—A WHIP, ON WABASH-AV., WHICH the owner can have by proving property and paying for this advertisement. 1 Room 115 Van Buren-st.

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INSURANCE CLAIMS BOUGHT IN ALL BANKRUPT companies. Come and see me before selling. H. S. DIETRICH, 77 West Madison-st., up-stairs.

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MONEY! ADVANCED AT LASSEN'S LOAN office; late Jacobs & Co., on diamonds, watches, and other valuables. 177 Clark-st., corner of Monroe, Room 6.

MONEY TO LOAN ON CHICAGO REAL ESTATE, collaterals, houses on leased land, and, good collateral security, at Room 5, No. 145 South Clark-st. K. WINNE.

TO LOAN—AMOUNTS OF $1,000 OR MORE ON city real estate or improved Illinois farms. B. L. PEARSON, 79 Dearborn-st.

WANTED—$5,000, FOR 5 YEARS, ON $15,000 worth of real estate. LINGLE & DARLOW, 125 Dearborn-st.

WANTED—TO BORROW $600, FOR ONE YEAR, on city real estate. Address G, Tribune office.

$1,500 AND $1,000, CASH IN HAND TO LOAN. ABBOTT & OLIVER, Room 4, No. 823 Monroe-st.

$2,200 TO LOAN ON CITY REAL ESTATE. K. M. HOWLAND, 148 Washington-st., Room 24.

$10,000 PURCHASE MONEY PAPER SEcured on Chicago real estate, (or any part thereof in sums of not less than $500). for sale at a fair discount. Address J 71, Tribune office.

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BUILDING MATERIAL.

FOR RED PRESSED BRICK SEE HODGMAN BROS., manufacturers, corner LaSalle and Madison-sts., Room 24 Major Block.

FOR SALE—500,000 COMMON BRICK; 200,000 pressed. M. D. FLAHERTY, Room 15, 139 East Madison-st.

FOR SALE—TO CONTRACTORS—I WILL FURnish estimates for fronts of Buena Vista stone at extremely low figures; estimates for monumental work in Scotch granite (to picture cutting only). Also plain and ornamental marble in blocks. Also 30 tons of pig iron, size and quality. J. H. SMITH, 48 South Clark-st.

FOR SALE—1,000,000 BRICK, SOME ON THE ground; balance to arrive within two weeks. J. H. SMITH, 48 South Clark-st.

FOR SALE—LUMBER—ABOUT 30,000 FEET OF joists, 2x12, 12 and 14 feet long. Also 8 square timber, 8x12, 12 and 14 feet. Also 30 square timber, 10x10, 12 feet long. Also 30 square timber, 8x16, 12 and 14 feet, etc., for cash, or will exchange for real estate. Also some building brick. Apply to P. E. WILSON, 77 South Clark-st., from 12 to 1.

TO RENT—HOUSES.

TO RENT—BY R. G. COLE & CO., 138 LASalle-st.:

Hamilton-av., 2d and 3d, near Belden, 11 rooms, $60.
Ashland-av., 6th, 7 and 8th, near Belden, 7 rooms, $40.
Newly-finished 2-story frames, $40; 6 rooms, newly papered and painted.
Adams-st., third house, south front, west of Wabash-av., $40.
Van Buren-st., 766, cottage, 6 rooms.
North Peoria-st., 14, cottage, 6 rooms, $27.50.
Hubbard-ct., 6 and 8, 2-story, 7 rooms, cheap; will rent them in tenements if desired.
Third-av., 117, 15 rooms, $15.

TO RENT—HOUSE, FURNISHED COMPLETE, with piano, 10 rooms, in thorough order, very convenient, no basement, bath and water-closet; for 6 months or longer; Michigan-av., south of Twenty-fifth-st. JOHN B. SHIPLEY, Room 5, Otis Block, corner LaSalle and Madison-st.

TO RENT—HOUSE ON WEST WASHINGTON-ST., 235; 9 rooms, all improvements; $30; Carpenter, over Horne and Co.'s, Randolph-st. GEORGE D. PEARL, 79 West Madison-st.

TO RENT—DWELLING NO. 132 WALNUT-ST., 12 rooms, convenient and in good repair; good barn. Apply on the premises.

TO RENT—FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCE ON CENTRE-av.; possession given immediately; also three good office rooms, 128 West Madison-st. Apply to Dr. E. S. BARNES, 128 West Madison-st., Room 1.

TO RENT—HOUSES NO. 34, 36 AND 38 ON Thirty-seventh-st., between Lake and Michigan-avs.; in good repair; at reasonable rent. S. E. WELLS, 125 Dearborn-st.

TO RENT—NICE 4-ROOM HOUSE; $20; 1-ROOM house, $25; good neighborhood. O. W. DEAN, 139 South Clark-st., Room 16.

TO RENT—5-ROOM HOUSE, COMPLETELY FURnished with modern improvements, near Twenty-second-st.; or the house may be rented and furniture bought cheap. For particulars inquire at 27 Cottage Grove-av.

TO RENT—FRAME HOUSE CORNER OF Twelfth-st. and Indiana-av. For terms, apply to M. CURTIS, 107 East Twelfth-st.

TO RETN—FURNISHED RESIDENCE AT HIGHland Park; rent, $360. Address Room 23, Tribune Building.

TO RENT—HOUSES IN GOOD LOCATIONS, cheap to good tenants. JACOB C. MAGILL, 81 and 83 South Clark-st.

TO RENT—184 MICHIGAN-AV., 14 ROOMS, NEWly repaired and painted, fully furnished, or for rent unfurnished, or for sale. WM. BARNEY, No. 122 East Randolph-st.

TO RENT—A NEW BRICK HOUSE, ENGLISH basement, and two stories, with all modern improvements, opposite Lincoln Park. Inquire of N. BISENIUS, 106 East Randolph-st., or W. H. SAMPSON & CO., 144 LaSalle-st.

TO RENT—LARGE 2-STORY AND BASEMENT stone front, No. 124, Ellis-av., furnace, bath-room, water, and gas; very near horse and steam cars.

Also 2-story and basement house on Hoyne-av., near trains; cheap. ULRICH & BOND, 87 Dearborn-st.

TO RENT—507 TWENTY-SIXTH-ST., 6-ROOM COTtage, 3 closets, pantry and water; $25 a month. Apply to W. H. SAMPSON & CO., 144 LaSalle-st., Otis Block.

TO RENT—COTTAGE OF 8 NICE ROOMS; WASHington-st., near street-cars. Nice neighborhood. I. H. WHITNEY, 144 LaSalle-st., basement.

TO RENT—A SPLENDID PLACE, 923 SOUTH Desplaines-st., corner Thirty-ninth-st.; 8 rooms, 3 closets, &c. Room in barn for horse. Inquire of J. W. GOULD, up-stairs.

TO RENT—A BRICK HOUSE OF 10 ROOMS, HOT and cold baths and gas fixtures, northeast corner Throop and Van Buren-sts. Inquire at 130 Throop-st.

TO RENT—VERY DESIRABLE COTTAGE, 559 Washington-av.; 6 rooms, gas and water, $20 per month. Inquire of W. H. SAMPSON & CO., 144 LaSalle-st., Otis Block.

TO RENT—VERY DESIRABLE BRICK HOUSE, 863 West Adams-st.; 10 rooms and furnace, rent $40 per month. W. H. SAMPSON & CO., 144 LaSalle-st., Otis Block.

TO RENT—VERY ELEGANT RESIDENCE, NO. 71 Rush-st.; 2-story and basement stone-front house; 7 rooms; modern improvements; rent, $600 per year. Apply to W. H. SAMPSON & CO., 144 LaSalle-st., Otis Block.

TO RENT—NO. 5 NORTH ADAMS-ST., TWO-STORY brown-stone front, 7 rooms, bath-room, etc. Inquire next door, Rooms 11 and 12.

TO RENT—BOARDING-HOUSE, 9 ROOMS, ON Adams-st. east of Halsted; $25; also 6 rooms, furniture for sale. R. G. GOODWILLIE, 138 West Madison-st.

TO RENT—BRICK COTTAGE 502 BUTTERFIELD-st.; 6 rooms, $18; cottage 850 Lake-st., 6 rooms, $20; cottage 852 Lake-st., 6 rooms, $20. R. G. GOODWILLIE, 138 West Madison-st.

TO RENT—HOUSE, 15 ROOMS, NEAR CENTRE-av.; for two families; water, gas, and barn, $30 and $35. R. G. GOODWILLIE, 138 West Madison-st.

TO RENT—SIX FINE ROOMS AND BATH-ROOM, all in nice order, for $35. Apply to B. RANDALL, 16 Silver-st., or H. KENNEDY, 143 Clark-st., Rooms 29 and 30.

TO RENT—SIX ROOMS IN 3-STORY, 259 CALUMET-av.; very pleasant for small housekeeping. J. T. ALLEN, 108 Twenty-second-st.

TO RENT—HOUSE 234 PARK-AV., $30 PER MONTH. Apply at 234 State-st. O. W. STEVENS.

TO RENT—THE UPPER PART OF HOUSE NO. 556 North Clark-st., containing six rooms, gas, and water.

TO RENT—COTTAGE OF 3 SMALL ROOMS, $20; also 4 small rooms, $10. 1 West Van Buren-st.

TO RENT—OR FOR SALE, NEW HOUSE ON JACKson and Adams-sts., east of California-av., cheap and on easy terms. Inquire at 1691 Jackson-st.

TO RENT—THE STORE BRICK HOUSE AND dwelling, No. 1 South Franklin-st., now corner Monroe, in the Field & Letter Block. Inquire of, at Hoffman, as above premises.

Suburban.

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FOREIGN.

Humiliating Display of American Products at Vienna.

Frightful Accident in Hungary---21 Killed and 40 Wounded.

Precarious Condition of the Health of the Pope.

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA, May 7.—The Minister of Commerce gave an entertainment last evening to the officials of the Exhibition. Among the toasts given on the occasion was one by Bayard Taylor to "The Industry of Austria."

LONDON, May 7.—The Vienna correspondent of the *Daily News*, in a letter to that journal, ridicules the American Department of the Exhibition, and gives the following as a correct list of the articles to be seen in the section assigned to the United States: Two cases of Colt's fire-arms, three binnacles, one stuffed eagle, two salt-cellars, a dentist's chair, and six bottles of water taken from the Mississippi River. The explanation of this meagre display is found in the former mismanagement of the American section; and it is confidently hoped now that the new Commissioners and exhibitors have gone actively to work to repair the evil effects, the goods from America will be speedily unpacked, and the exhibitions from that country will come up to the standard expected.

A grand military review in honor of the Prince of Wales took place here to-day.

CANADA.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 7.—In the Capital all allusions to Sir Hugh Allan's mission are to the effect that it has utterly failed. What next? is the question. It is felt that the Government's Pacific Railway policy has ended in a fiasco.

Public opinion was found so strong against the secret doings of the Pacific Railway Committee that the inquiry will be publicly conducted. The House, however, by a majority of 31, decided to postpone the investigation.

The impression prevails generally that Sir John A. MacDonald desires to evade the investigation of the charges, while the Hon. Mr. Huntington, who made the charges yesterday, stated that he now was more than ever assured of his ability to substantiate them, and was prepared immediately to tender his proof. Mr. Mackenzie, the leader of the Opposition party, inquired, in his speech, why the Government was so angry at the charge, and why so fearful of being put to proof.

SPAIN.

NEW YORK, May 7.—A letter from Spain says: The Carlist army in Navarre numbers 3,500 men, 1,000 being unarmed or armed with pikes only. The remainder are well armed with superior rifles. Besides these, and co-operating with them, are twenty-two bands, numbering 2,252 men. Orders have been given by Don Carlos to shoot the Cure of Santa Cruz, owing to his excessive and cruel rule, but, as he confines his operations to the mountains, it is not thought likely that either the Republicans or Carlists will capture him.

MADRID, May 7.—Don Alphonso and his band are surrounded near Igualada, and it is thought he will surrender.

BAYONNE, May 7.—The Carlists lost fifty killed and twenty prisoners in their attack, a few days since, on the town of Vera, in Navarre.

It is reported that the Commissary-General of the Carlist forces has absconded, taking with him all the cash on hand.

HUNGARY.

VIENNA, May 7.—A dispatch from Pesth announces a shocking railway accident near that city. Twenty-one persons are reported killed outright and forty injured, some of whom it is supposed, will die. Six carriages were completely demolished.

ITALY.

LONDON, May 7.—A dispatch from Rome says that the condition of the Pope is precarious.

WASHINGTON.

THE VACANT BENCH.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Although the Chief Justice is hardly cold in death, speculation is already rife as to his successor. In the absence of the President nothing definite can be known on the subject. Rumor is busy with the names of Senators Conkling and Edmunds, both of whom have heretofore been understood to be aspirants for the Chief Justiceship. It is also said that Attorney-General Williams is a candidate. The Supreme Court has just adjourned for the summer, and the President will have ample time to select a Chief Justice before it meets in October.

THE WASHINGTON TREATY.

Secretary Fish has been officially notified that the Parliament of Great Britain, the Parliament of Canada, and the Legislature of Prince Edward Island have perfected all necessary legislation to give effect to Articles 18 to 25 and Article 30 of the Treaty of Washington, which relate to the fishery question.

PROTEST AGAINST CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS.

It is understood that the surviving members of President Lincoln's Cabinet purpose publishing a card, wherein they will refute certain statements made by Charles Francis Adams in his oration upon the life and character of William H. Seward. The idea was suggested by the late Chief-Justice Chase, who, after reading Mr. Adams' oration was, of the opinion that he did gross injustice not only to Mr. Lincoln, but to the members of his Cabinet. The card will probably be prepared by Montgomery Blair, and will be signed by that gentleman and Gideon Welles. Had Judge Chase lived he would have signed it also, and, as his views were well-known to the gentlemen, his name will be affixed.

NEW YORK, May 7.—Rumors around the United States Court Buildings names ex-Judge and ex-United States District Attorney Edwards Pierrepont as the probable nominee of President Grant to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Chief Justice Chase. But the political friends of Senator Conkling are very confident that he will be the successor.

SPRINGFIELD.

Bills Approved by the Governor—A Veto—Appointments—Articles Filed.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 7.—Gov. Beveridge concluded his examination of the bills passed by the Twenty-eighth General Assembly to-day, and approved Senate bill 380, allowing railroads to borrow money, and to mortgage their property and franchises; Senate bill 406, regulating the Illinois Industrial University, and to make an appropriation therefor; Senate bill 232, making an appropriation to erect the south wing of the Northern Insane Asylum at Elgin; bill 320, an appropriation in aid of the erection of a building for the Eye and Ear Infirmary at Chicago; House bill 304, concerning jurors. He vetoed House bill 370. The following is a copy:

In my opinion this bill is in violation of Sec. 18, Article 2, and the fifteenth clause of Sec. 22, Article 4, of the Constitution. I, therefore, withhold my approval thereof, and file the same with my objections thereto in the office of the Secretary of State.

(Signed) JOHN L. BEVERIDGE, Governor.

Gov. Beveridge removed E. F. K. Cochrane, Public Administrator of Macon County, to-day, and appointed in his stead James W. Boggs. He also ordered an election for Coroner to be held in Livingston County on the 2d day of June prox., to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of M. R. Wright.

Licenses to do business were issued to-day by the Secretary of State to the Milan Distilling Company, of Milan, Ill., capital $50,000; the Illinois Smoke-Burner Company, of Chicago, capital $100,000; South Branch Lumber Company, of Chicago, capital $100,000; and the Elastic Construction Company, of Chicago, capital $600,000.

Miss Frances E. Millard, President of the Ladies' College, was appointed by Gov. Beveridge, to-day, to be a Trustee of the Women's Centennial Association of America.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 7.—The earnings of the Illinois & Michigan Canal for the month of April were $10,160. The falling off is charged to the Inspector of Grain in Chicago. Mr. Milne, of the Canal Commissioners, in making his report to the office here, in a letter dated yesterday, says: "There is great dissatisfaction with the Inspector of Grain in Chicago. Our Superintendent has been down the line, and reports that the canal interest is going to suffer severely from that cause, the grain men all making arrangements to ship by rail. He predicts that we will get as much corn in May as we have got in April. He says: 'I have a letter from Ottawa this morning, saying they would send one load, but would bring it back again rather than submit to the imposition.'"

CINCINNATI.

Second Day of the Great Festival—Afternoon and Evening Concerts—A Great Success.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

CINCINNATI, May 7.—Cincinnati, which was very quiet yesterday, is inclined to-day to boast and exalt herself over the success of the concert last evening. The local papers, by a very thorough system of interviewing, have managed to pick up views of critics and musicians from abroad, presenting them, as well as their own, and are jubilant, as well they may be. In the German saloons, restaurants, and gardens, especially in that classical region, "over the Rhine," the discussion waxes hot over Thomas' tempos. His bold innovations upon the venerable traditions which cluster about the oratorios and symphonies, joined to his Wagnerian proclivities, have aroused the wrath of the conservative German critics, which even beer will not wash down. Meanwhile, Thomas goes on his way serenely, as if no war were raging about his ears, and, being master of the situation, takes his time as he pleases.

The hotels are crowded to overflowing with strangers, who have come to the festival, and there is a very general expression of delight at the remarkable success with which it has started off. This feeling is also shared by the managers of the festival, and as the commencement indicates a financial, as well as musical success, everybody is happy and Cincinnati is bound to enjoy herself.

The matinee this afternoon was almost as largely attended as the concert last evening, notwithstanding that the rain has poured in torrents all day. The programme was in most respects a very light one, and like most matinee programmes in festivals of this kind, was arranged for the purpose of giving the artists and orchestra an opportunity to perform their show pieces. The most attractive features were the orchestra's playing of the allegretto to Beethoven's Eighth Symphony; the chorus singing of Mozart's "Ave Verum," which was given in a majestic and solid style worthy of the music; Whitney's singing of the "Rolling in Foaming Billows," the adagio of which he gave very effectively; and Mrs. Smith's singing of the barcarole from the "Star of the North," with flute obligato, in which her brilliant execution secured an encore. The noisy patter of the rain on the roof spoiled many of the pianissimo effects, but notwithstanding this the concert was a very favorable one.

The evening concert was the greatest success thus far, although the programme was a very heavy one for an audience, and therefore quite experimental. Notwithstanding the rain, which still continued to fall, the audience was a very large and enthusiastic one, and at one time in the evening broke into a perfect furore of applause. The programme opened with the Bach Suite No. 3, which was given with exquisite feeling and sentiment. At the commencement of the second part, or the aria of the Suite, there was considerable confusion caused by people coming in. Mr. Thomas at once stopped the aria, and waited until he had secured a perfectly quiet house before he recommenced, and received a round of applause for his handsome success in disciplining audiences.

The great feature of the evening, and, indeed, the great, success, was the performance of the scenes from Gluck's "Orpheus." Miss Cary singing four or five of the principal recitatives and arias with the choral accompaniments. The performance of it lasted about three-quarters of an hour, and was frequently interrupted with hearty applause. In conducting it, Mr. Thomas usually quiet and unimpassioned manner was changed to a nervously-energetic one, which not only showed that he felt he had a great work in hand, but also that he was determined that it should succeed, and it did. Miss Cary's rich and powerful voice was never used to better effect, and her method of singing both the recitatives and arias showed genuine artistic finish. Her only lack was in the intense dramatic force which this music needs. In quantity and quality of voice, and in scholarly work, there was no lack. At the close of her last aria, "I have lost my Eury dice," she was heartily applauded, and, when she left the stage, the audience gave vent to its delight in a perfect furore of applause, which grew into an ovation. She was three times recalled, amid shouts and bravos, and waving of handkerchiefs, and an enthusiastic demonstration from the chorus, especially on the alto side, which she gratefully acknowledged. The chorus acquitted itself magnificently in its trying numbers, and swept through the tremendously dramatic passages with irresistible power and almost a prestissimo of rapidity. In one or two of the choruses Mr. Thomas was very exciting, but his own energy inspired the singers. It was a great triumph, and old musicians, overlooking a few trifling blemishes which were only perceptible to the most critical, declared that the chorus singing was simply marvelous.

The "Coriolanus Overture," and the Schumann Symphony in C were finely given, although the latter, in some of its numbers, was very heavy, and the audience grew very restless before it closed. Mrs. Dexter, an amateur soprano of this city, sang "With Verdure Clad," from the "Creation." She has a remarkably fresh, sweet voice, of moderate power, and displays fine musical intelligence and an excellent school of culture. She has studied and sung abroad, and, although moving in the highest circles of the city, still devotes herself to music. The "Hallelujah Chorus" closed the concert.

This afternoon the school children have the stage, and this evening the Ninth Symphony, which is the crowning feature of the festival, will be given with full chorus in the second part, and Mrs. Smith, Miss Cary, Mr. Varley, and Mr. Rudolphsen in the quartette.

BETTER LET HER ALONE.

Cora Reed, the young girl who attempted to commit suicide last Saturday evening, by taking morphine, at the house of Belle Dimick, on South Clinton street, recovered from the effects of the drug. Yesterday afternoon she made a second attempt to take her life, by the same means, at the Johnson House, corner of West Madison and Desplaines streets. About 2 o'clock in the afternoon, one of the chambermaids of the house informed Mr. Johnson that the room occupied by the girl had not been open during the day, and that the gas had been burning. Repeated knocks brought no answer, and, fearing something was wrong, the door was forced open. The girl was found upon the bed, apparently dying. Her eyes were fixed and glassy, and she breathed with great difficulty. Drs. Young, Dunn, and Duncanson were quickly summoned. The case was surrendered to the latter physician, who attended her faithfully until about 9 o'clock last night, when she was reported out of danger. The girl came to the house on Monday night, in a carriage, and stated that she had just arrived in the city. In her bed were found an empty bottle of morphine and a Bible. From some letters found in her pocket, it is thought that her father's treatment has driven her to desire death rather than life.

BAPTIST SUNDAY-SCHOOL WORK.

A meeting of the Sabbath-School workers of the city was held in the lecture-room of the First Baptist Church, Wabash avenue, near Hubbard court, last evening. The attendance was not very large. C. Leach, of Galesburg, presided. Brief addresses were made by B. F. Jacobs, the Rev. E. B. Edmonds, of Wisconsin, the Rev. J. C. Baker, State Sunday-School Missionary for Illinois, and others. The importance of educating children was dwelt upon at some length, and regret expressed that so little interest was taken in the Sabbath-School. In the southern part of the State children were plenty, but school-houses scarce. Other denominations established churches and Sunday-Schools, and in consequence were teaching Baptists doctrines different from those that they had been taught in youth, and their children were taken into the schools, and gradually both were being led away from the Baptist Church. The work there was hopeful, and an interest should be taken in it. Unless the people of the northern part of the State subscribed money to pay the salaries of missionaries in "Egypt," the field might as well be abandoned. A subscription was taken up, and about $100 realized. The meeting then adjourned.

PRESIDENT GRANT.

President Grant, accompanied by Mayor Medill and other gentlemen, visited the Board of Trade yesterday at about noon, and was received by the members. He was led to the rostrum and introduced by President Culver, after which he made the following speech, almost inaudible to those nearest to him:

GENTLEMEN OF THE BOARD OF TRADE: In visiting your city, after having been absent from it little more than a year, it affords me pleasure to find it restored and improved beyond what it was before your great fire. I am very happy to be here to-day.

He was followed by Senator Logan and Mayor Medill. The party then went to lunch at Kenwood, the residence of United States Collector Judd. The afternoon was spent behind fast horses on the boulevard.

THE DIXON HORROR.

The Horse and Buggy Recovered—Mrs. Wilcox Recovering—The Ferry—A Dangerous Institution—The Question of a New Bridge—Four More Bodies in the Water—Proceedings at the Coroner's Inquest Yesterday Afternoon.

Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune.

DIXON, Ill., May 7.—Many inquiries are made about the fate of the horse that was left on the wreck, ruefully contemplating his distant friends and admirers. He has been liberated in safety. Workmen were directed to tear up the planking in the centre of the bridge sufficiently to allow of his passing through, and he was lowered by means of ropes, apparently quite contented. As soon as he touched water, they let go the ropes, and he immediately breasted the current and swam gallantly to shore, where he allowed himself to be quietly secured, and walked off.

Mrs. Wilcox, a lady from the East, who was reported in danger from her injuries, is recovering.

The ferry which has been frequently referred to but not described, is situated above the dam about 150 yards. The dam is above the bridge about 300 yards. Iron pickets have been driven into the river bottom, and to these a continuous wire has been attached, which passes over a block and through an upright fixed in the ferry-boat. The upright holds the ferry-boat to the wire, the wire runs smoothly over the block, and the passengers haul away, and that's how they cross the river, quite in the old fashion, before settlements had grown into towns and cities. As the current is swift, and the platforms are generally loaded heavily, in consequence of the absence of any other means of crossing, without going a distance of twelve miles, the greatest care is necessary in order to ply this ferry with safety. During the past four days a moderate breeze from the east has prevailed, adding to the strength of the current and the pressure on the brodside of the platform; and prognostications of another and equally painful disaster with that of Sunday, were generally made. It was a common expression, when the breeze was freshest, that the papers would have their hands full, again, with a Dixon catastrophe on almost as extensive a scale as before, unless an additional wire, with adequate support, was provided whilst the crush lasted. All the boats in the neighborhood have been pressed into service, or, rather, volunteered into service, charging 10 cents per passenger, and, in consequence of the ferry being crossed all the time, they are kept constantly busy, and are reaping a rich harvest. Several mere boys have been earning from $4 to $6 each per day, since the collapse of the bridge, but there is every prospect that they will soon cease to enjoy that advantage, as workmen are now engaged patching up the large ferry platform that has been lying rotting in the mud at the point since its disuse, long, long ago. The timbers of this exceedingly ill-preserved and unseaworthy old craft appear almost if not quite rotton, and she should not be permitted to float with a human being on board, unless a thorough examination should prove her to have been properly repaired.

The question of providing means for crossing the stream is one that the rapid growth of the town will soon call on the Aldermen to solve. Mere ferry platforms, endurable by the smallest villages, are almost useless in large and thriving cities, but Dixon will have to resort to that mode of communication for a long time to come. The people are too stunned, yet, to think of any immediate action, but, from the little that is said, there seems no reason to believe that they have abandoned the idea of an iron bridge, in favor of a wooden one, because one iron bridge has failed. They still have their piers intact, and if there is such a thing to be had in America as a safe superstructure of iron to place upon them, there is no reason to suppose that another experiment will not be made. Such superstructures have been in existence, in England and the Continent, for many years, are as sound to-day as the day they were constructed, and have carried weights that no bridge in Dixon will ever reasonably be expected to carry. On some of these points your reporter interviewed a member of the former Aldermanic Bridge Committee of Dixon, Mr. Hunter, an ex-Alderman, whether any system of inspection existed by which defects in the bridge could have been ascertained, and whether the Council had appointed any officer for that purpose? He said that, owing to a lamentable oversight, both these precautions had been neglected. None of the Committee professed to know anything about bridges. They had instructed the judgment of their Superintendent of Construction, and supposed he would have have warned them if anything had been necessary to be done.

The reporter asked whether the Committee had at any time satisfied themselves, by personal observational, that the structure had not suffered by weather or usage?

He replied that they had never done so, as far as he was aware, for they considered the structure in every way safe and substantial, and it never occurred to them that an accident could happen.

The reporter asked if the other had at any time noticed anything "give" on the bridge.

He said that he had often heard the diagonals snap on winter's nights, whilst he was driving over the bridge.

Had he taken no steps to ascertain what the snapping resulted from, and whether the safety of the bridge might be affected by the diagonals snapping?

No; it has so frequently happened. Sometimes somebody would say that it might be as well to tinker up the diagonals before they all went; but nobody seemed to have any idea that an inspection was either a necessary or a proper thing to undertake, either of the diagonals or anything else.

Referring to the old breaks discovered on the cards that caused the accident, the reporter asked whether the accident would have happened had a careful inspection been made.

He couldn't say; otherwise, if the supports of the bridge had been examined at any time during or after the past winter, there was no question but that these breaks could easily have been detected.

Turning the conversation to the length of span, the reporter asked why the piers were constructed so far apart as to give a span necessitating the adoption of a particular sort of bridge adopted for long spans.

The ex-Alderman said that the citizens were afraid of turning back the water too much; and nothing was more requisite than that the piers should throw back a minimum of water. This could only be attained by the piers being made as small as possible, and placed as far apart as practicable for bridging purposes. He was satisfied that the piers were at present anywhere in the United States, and they threw back so little water that no more harm was done than they had expected and calculated upon.

The funerals continue to attract attention, and the last of them will take place next Sunday; at least, the last of the bodies so far recovered will be interred then.

There have been no more bodies found. Four are known still to be in the water.

The two fire companies of this city organized in squads this morning, and have gone down the river in boats to search for missing remains. There is some anxiety to find Frank Hamilton, who was a member of the Fire Department. This evening Mr. E. Peterseberger offered a reward of $100 for the recovery of the body of his child.

The Coroner's inquest assembled again this afternoon.

Mr. Jason Ayers, recalled—Saw Ida Vann on the bank; went with Williamson; saw no bodies but that of Mrs. Latty, that I recognized; think Miss Vann came to her death by drowning; think the general opinion has been that the bridge was safe enough; the Council have from time to time talked about the bridge, and have intended to have the bridge examined; Mr. Truesdell showed the engraving of the bridge before building to the Council; a model of the bridge was exhibited, about two or two and a half feet long, and I think the real bridge, to be as strong as represented in the model, was not heavy enough; the rods were not heavy in proportion as the model; no report had been made to the town of, but there was some talk to the effect that the bridge had sagged from time to time; at the first test the bridge sagged from three-fourths of an inch to one and a half inches with a load, but, the load removed, the bridge seemed to recover its former shape; the weight upon the bridge at the test was estimated at from sixty to seventy tons to a span, and, with people thrown out, the weight was over a hundred tons to a span; people have generally thought the bridge safe; large processions have crossed without hesitation.

Mr. Schuler, a juror, wanted to exclude reporters from the inquest. He was indignant at some of the reporters.

To-day workmen are removing the plank from the roadway of the bridge in the hope of having better success in sounding the bottom of the river.

THE DOCTORS.

Second Day's Proceedings of the American Medical Association.

ST. LOUIS, May 7.—The American Medical Association met again this morning, President Logan in the chair.

Very little of general interest occurred.

Dr. Brodie extended an invitation to the Association to hold its next session at Detroit, Mich., which was referred to the proper committee.

Dr. Howard, of Maryland, Chairman of the Committee on Organization, presented quite a lengthy report, recommending various changes in the organization of sections, of the laws, etc., and providing for a more rigid examination of papers offered for action by the Association; increasing the number of the Committee on Ethics, and changing somewhat the functions and powers of the Committee. After a good deal of discussion and the rejection of several amendments, the report was adopted.

A communication was read from Dr. Gross, of Philadelphia, regretting his inability to be present, and urging the Convention to adopt an amendment to the Constitution offered by him last year, whereby the Association would become a more scientific and a less declamatory body.

Dr. Woodward, of Washington, presented letters from several Surgeons and Assistant Surgeons in the United States army, setting forth that the medical staff of the army has not been placed on an equal footing with the other staff corps of the army, as regards rank; that they are not equal in this respect to the navy; and asking the American Medical Association to take such action as will, in their judgment, result in placing their professional brethren in the army on an equal footing with the officers of other staff corps of the army, and also throw open once more the door for the admission of the young physicians of the country to the ranks of the army medical staff. Dr. Woodward stated that this project was heartily approved by the Surgeon-General of the Army and all the medical officers in Washington, and he hoped that the association would in some way lend their influence to bring about the result desired.

Dr. Keller, of Louisville, offered a series of resolutions, presenting the case in brief terms, and recommending the appointment of a committee of five to memorialize Congress in behalf of their medical brothers of the army, which was adopted unanimously.

The Chair appointed the following gentlemen on the Committee: Dr. Keller, of Kentucky; Dr. Ashew, of Delaware; Dr. Davis, of Chicago; Dr. Murphy, of Cincinnati; Dr. Toner, of Washington.

Dr. Carson, of Ohio, read an interesting report on medical education, in which he set forth the general dissatisfaction among the profession on the subject, and said this Association can exert great influence by increasing its efficiency for a tribunal before which subjects may be brought for the exercise of that most potent influence, discussion, and not for that impotent purpose of expecting to exercise legislative functions toward teaching bodies.

Dr. Randall, Jr., of Louisville, read a report on medical literature. He referred to the fact that for years the profession in America had depended entirely on the medical literature of England and the European Continent. Now the medical journals published in America are ahead of the combined medical publications of England and France. Going back only a quarter of a century, and our country was nearly destitute of original works on medicine, almost entirely dependent upon European surgeons and physicians for instruction. Now we are independent of the world. Our own authors can supply all the books required by the medical student and practitioner, and for clearness and fullness of information on all practical points they compare most favorably with the best writings of our brethren abroad.

Dr. Randall then discussed at length the medical journals now published in the United States.

Dr. Moore, of St. Louis, Chairman of the Committee on Prize Essays, reported that only one such production had been received by the Committee which was not adjudged worthy of any of the prizes offered.

The following appointments were made by the President to represent the American Medical Association to the Irish Medical Association, F. G. Smith, C. Wister, J. S. Coore, of Philadelphia; E. Warren, Baltimore; C. L. Knight, New Haven; Edward Montgomery, St. Louis, and F. Barker, E. Seguir, and J. C. Hutchison, of New York.

The Chairman of the Nominating Committee made the following report: President, J. M. Toner, District of Columbia; First Vice President, W. H. Gadberry, of Mississippi; Second Vice President, J. M. Keller, Kentucky; Third Vice President, O. Hunter, Missouri; Fourth Vice President, L. D. Warner, Massachusetts; Treasurer, Dr. Caspar Wister, Philadelphia; Librarian, Johnson Elliott; Secretary, Theodore A. McGraw; Committee on Arrangements; Dr. Brodie, Chairman; Jas. A. Brown, Morse Stewart, J. F. Noyes, E. W. Janks, Henry F. Lyster, D. O. Farrard, Eugene Smith, all of Detroit. Committee on Prize Essays, Drs. J. K. Johnson, A. Sager, H. Hitchcock, of Detroit; E. Andrews, Illinois; E. S. Gaylord, Kentucky.

Committee on Publication, Drs. F. G. Smith, W. B. Atkinson, D. Morri Chester, of Pennsylvania; William Lee, District of Columbia; Caspar Wistar, Pennsylvania; H. F. Askew, Delaware; Alfred Hall, Pennsylvania.

Detroit was named for the next annual meeting of the Association. The report was adopted.

Dr. Davis, of Chicago, offered an amendment to the Constitution providing the manner in which delegates to the Association shall receive their appointment, and how many each society shall be entitled to.

A number of reports, among them one from the British Medical Association, were referred to the proper committees.

A resolution was adopted providing for the appointment of one member from each of the original thirteen States of the Union to report to the Centennial Celebration on the medical, surgical, and biographical literature of the period of 1776.

A resolution was adopted directing the President and Secretary to petition Congress, in behalf of the profession, that the edition of the medical and surgical history of the War of the Rebellion, printed from the reports of the Surgeon-General of the Army, be made sufficiently large for general distribution to members of the profession throughout the country; also thanking Congress for its action so far in this matter, and the officers of the United States army for the valuable information already laid before the profession. Adjourned.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 7.—The *Tribune* says negotiations are in progress for the absorption of the Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph Company by the Western Union Company, and it is understood that the basis of arrangement is that the latter Company shall give a portion of its shares held in reserve for its controlling interest in the former. The capital stock of the Pacific and Atlantic Company is $2,000,000.

The general term of the New York State Supreme Court has given its decision, denying the motion for a new trial in the case of Stokes, the murderer of James Fisk, Jr. Stokes received the news with indifference, merely saying to his father, who was with him: "They have denied me a new trial. My case will now go to the Court of Appeals."

FIRE IN THE STAATS-ZEITUNG BUILDING.

At half-past 9 o'clock last night flames were discovered by a special watchman in the cigar store of Charles Kerstien, which is situated in the basement of the *Staats-Zeitung* Building, at the corner of Washington street and Fifth avenue. An alarm was sounded from Box 15. Before the arrival of the engines the fire was put out by a hose in the building. Loss, $600; no insurance. The fire is supposed to have had its origin in an alcohol lamp.

The Indians.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 7.—Over 1,400 Apaches surrendered at Camp Verde.

Father Wilbur, Indian Agent on the Simcoe Reservation, arrived at Portland from a tour seventy-five miles in Eastern Oregon and Washington Territory, and says not the slightest foundation exists for the rumors that the Indians in that part of the county are threatening war. All is quiet, and at no time in twelve years have the indications of peace been more favorable.

Oakes Ames.

BOSTON, May 7.—Oakes Ames remains in about the same condition reported last night, but is becoming weaker.

NORTH EASTON, Mass., May 7.—The condition of Oakes Ames has not improved. He is liable to pass away at any moment. Hardly a hope is entertained that he will survive the night.

JUDICIAL.

Hon. John Scholfield, of Clark County, Recommended as a Candidate to Fill the Vacancy Caused by the Resignation of Judge Thornton.

VANDALIA, Ill., May 7.—At a meeting held here to-day, composed of farmers, lawyers, and others, at which the Hon. Samuel W. Moncar was chosen Chairman and A. A. Goodrich and Robt. W. Ross Secretaries, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, By the resignation of Judge Thornton as Supreme Judge of the Second Judicial District of the State of Illinois, a vacancy has occurred in said district; and

WHEREAS, In consideration of the above fact, and in pursuance of a call of the citizens of said district, irrespective of party, the representatives of the several counties in said district met at Vandalia, on the 7th day of May, 1873, for the purpose of recommending a suitable person to fill said vacancy; and

WHEREAS, The Hon. John Scholfield has, in deference to the request of a large number of the citizens of the district, consented to be a candidate for the said office; therefore, the Convention, representing the several counties of said judicial district does most earnestly recommend to the voters of said judicial district as a suitable candidate for the office of Supreme Judge, to fill said vacancy, the Hon. John Scholfield, of Clark County, and we cheerfully indorse him as an able and ripe lawyer and honest man, and of unimpeachable integrity and pre-eminence, possessing all those qualifications that constitute the judicial mind, and we believe that all the great interests of the State will be promoted by his election.

The Committee further offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That Hon. Anthony Thornton, during the brief period he has filled the position of one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of the State, has discharged the duties of a Judge with great ability and strict integrity, and that we deeply regret the loss of his services in a position he filled with so much credit to himself and to the State.

Ocean Steamship News.

LIVERPOOL, May 7.—The steamers City of Limerick and Deutschland, from New York, arrived to-day.

NEW YORK, May 7.—Arrived—Hammonia, from Hamburg.

DEATHS.

WENTHE—Yesterday, in Wheaton, Ill., Mr. Charles Wenthe, of Chicago, 44 years old.

The funeral will take place Friday, at 11 o'clock a. m., from the Wall-st. depot.

NOYES—Thursday morning, May 1, Mortimer Alexander, infant son of William S. and Alice A. Noyes.

REYNOLDS—Funeral services of the late James L. Reynolds will be held at Graceland Cemetery, this (Thursday) morning at 11 o'clock. Carriages will leave the residence of John F. Stafford, 280 Ohio-st., at quarter past 10.

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AND ASIDE FROM OUR LARGE TRADE FOR HORSES, we shall receive the next few weeks from 400 to 500 mules, from good to fair first-class, at 261 and 263 State-st., sale stables of BRADLEY & WILLS.

CARRIAGES—JUMP-SEAT BUGGIES, PHAETONS, etc., sold at SACRIFICE prices, at 19 and 21 West Randolph-st. H. J. EDWARDS.

FOR SALE—TEN VERY NICE DRIVING HORSES; all of them very stylish, and some of them fast steppers. Among them are a very fine pair of dapple grays, suitable for a buggy or carriage; one pair of closely matched browns, 7 and 8 years old; a nice coach team. Will be sold cheap, or exchanged for other horses not as good. Any one needing a fine driving horse, should call before buying. 100 West Monroe-st.

FOR SALE—A CAR-LOAD OF HORSES, AND A car-load of large mules, just from the country to-day, at WALKER'S Stable, northwest corner Indiana-av. and Thirty-third-st.

FOR SALE—BONNER WAGON, MADE BY WOOD Bros., of N. Y., weighs 125 pounds; $150, half what it cost. At 680 Prairie-av., after 5 o'clock.

FOR SALE—2 WORK AND DRIVING HORSES and 1 pair of bay mares. Omaha Stables, 167 Michigan-av. M. C. WILSUR & BRO.

FOR SALE—AT CENTRE-AV. STABLES, 372 WEST Madison-st., 1 Lawrence & Purdee top buggy, nearly new; 1 set silver-mounted double-strapped, hand-sewed, 1 wolf robe, 1 Malacca whip, 1 lady's side saddle.

FOR SALE—A LARGE STOCK OF FIRST-CLASS carriages and buggies just received at Nos. 37 and 39 South Clinton-st. H. H. HILLS.

FOR SALE—LIGHT AND HEAVY EXPRESS AND delivery wagons of all kinds; also, one second-hand express wagon, at 261 South Canal-st.

ROCKAWAY, PHAETONS, SLIDE SEATS, TOP, and open buggies in great variety, at 327 State-st.; low prices. P. L. SMITH.

WANTED—TO BUY A GOOD FAMILY HORSE, buggy, and harness. Will pay good Shotgun organ, balance cash. Address 8, 651 West Lake-st.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE—A SADDLE-HORSE; must be a good one, and cheap for cash; will buy saddle and bridle also. Address, stating price, &c., M 33, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO HIRE SULKY SUITABLE FOR breaking purposes. Address U 97, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—A FAST MARE FOR work-horse. Apply at Chicago Rooting Co., 130 LaSalle-st.

WANTED---TO RENT.

WANTED—TO RENT—A FLOOR OF 5 OR 6 ROOMS for housekeeping, South Side, north of Thirtieth-st. Address M 29, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—BY AN AMERICAN FAMILY, 4 or 5 rooms, suitable for housekeeping, West Side; rent not to be $25; good references. Address A 76, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—BY A YOUNG MAN, A furnished room on the South Side. Address, stating location, Y 1, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—A SMALL COTTAGE ON North Side, with three or four rooms, or two or three rooms suitable for housekeeping, unfurnished. Address, stating location, J 3 C, Sheriff's office.

WANTED—TO RENT—ON THE SOUTH SIDE, A small cottage or part of a house, furnished or unfurnished, suitable for housekeeping for two persons. Call on or address M. STRAUSS, No. 9 LaSalle-st.

WANTED—TO RENT—FOUR ROOMS FOR housekeeping on West Side, rent not to exceed $30. Apply at 817 West Madison-st.

WANTED—TO RENT—BRICK HOUSE OR BRICK basement, with 6 to 10 rooms. No children; payments prompt. Give full description. Address M 84, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—A FURNISHED HOUSE, suitable for housekeeping, on Wabash-av. Best reference given. Call at Johnson House, corner Madison and Desplaines-sts., Room 81.

WANTED—TO RENT—A COTTAGE OF FROM 5 TO 7 rooms, on South Side, east of State-st., between Twenty-third and Thirty-second. Will pay reasonable rent. Address B 39, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—HOUSES—WE HAVE NUmerous applications for houses from good tenants. JACOB C. MAGILL, 81 and 83 South Clark-st.

PARTNERS WANTED.

PARTNER WANTED—WITH $4,000, TO JOIN ME in buying 50 lots in this city. $1,000 in 30 days. I have the customers. Address M 14, Tribune office.

PARTNER WANTED—AN ACTIVE MAN, WITH $500, in a light manufacturing business; yields a profit of 100 per cent. N. GOODENOUGH, 163 North Desplaines-st.

PARTNER WANTED—EITHER ACTIVE OR SIlent, to invest $5,000 to $4,000, in a good paying business. Very best of references given. Address, U 90, Tribune office, with name.

PARTNER WANTED—A PARTY WITH $3,000 TO $10,000, to join me in the real estate and loan business, with whom I will share a promising suburban interest. Address M 14, Tribune office.

PARTNER WANTED—WITH $2,000, TO ATTEND to a branch house in St. Paul; business already established, and a splendid chance for a respectable man to get into a good wholesale business. Address M 36 Tribune office, for 10 days.

PARTNER WANTED—WITH $200, IN A BUSINESS that will pay double that amount per month. Address A 61, Tribune office, stating where interview can be had.

PARTNER WANTED—WITH $3,000 TO $5,000 CASH in a manufacturing business. Profits will exceed capital invested tenfold within 6 months. Address H 81, Tribune office.

INSTRUCTION.

A YOUNG MAN, WHO IS ANXIOUS TO LEARN, and who will devote his whole time to study, wishes to obtain private instruction in arithmetic and grammar; also the rudiments of Latin and Greek. Address, with particulars, E. E. SMITH, care of J. J. Crotty, at 113 West Wright-st, two cars.

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A BOARDING HOUSE IN GOOD CENTRAL LOCAtion on West Side for sale; splendid chance for the right parties; reason for selling, in failing health. For particulars address M 59, Tribune office.

A FIRST-CLASS MEAT AND VEGETABLE MARket, on corner of two principal streets on the West Side, for sale. Good vessel trade. Address M 34, Tribune office.

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